Weather

Hot weather today. The maximum temperature yesterday was 92.1 and the minimum 64.4, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 91.6 and 71.2.

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RUSS CLANS MAKE PLEA FOR RESCUE FROM JAPAN

Issued To The Powers In The Name Of Seven Governments

WORLD QUERIED

Intervention Damned With Faint Praise In Pronunciamento

JAPAN UNMASKED

Russian Leaders See Chance To Wrest Land From Foe

"We do not want war. We want to live and labor peacefully. We shall build our lives ourselves, as we see fit.

"We aim to reunite with the Russian Socialist Federal Soviet Republic and with you, workers of all countries!

"The fate of the Russian revolution shall reflect upon the fate of the world's democracy!

"We expect an active, forceful response to our fraternal call, to the workers of the world!"

The Shanghai branch of the Delta News Agency of Peking which represents the various Russian governments, including the Soviet Republic, issues the subjoined statement. It is an appeal to the proletariat of the world against Japanese aggressions in Siberia and is signed by the seven principal governments and political units of Siberia:

An appeal by the Conference of All Socialist Parties:

"The toiling masses of Russia have had hard trials to go through. In the world war the Russian people have sacrificed more than any of the other belligerent peoples.

"The incapable, mercenary Tsar Government, rotten to the very core, has brought the country to terrible ruin, even before the Revolution. Then there came the evils of two years of military intervention.

"Your governments have sent to our country military forces under the pretext of 'maintaining order' in Russia. The white armies of the counter-revolutionary generals have been lavishly supplied with arms and money by your rulers, with the object of robbing the Russian people of all the fruits of their revolution and bringing them back to the same state of affairs that was prevailing under the Tsar's regime.

COMPLETE RUIN

"The civil war, made possible by the fact of intervention, has brought our country to complete ruin. It has enveloped the great territory of Russia in fire, has almost completely destroyed our means of transportation, thereby thoroughly paralising our industries and creating a situation very menacing not only to us, but to all of you as well since you are unable to obtain much that she has to offer and which is of great necessity to you.

"The Allied military intervention is nearing to its end. Almost all the countries intervening have withdrawn their troops from Russia, declaring that they will no longer support the reactionary troops there.

"Though the declarations of your governments came rather late, since they were made after all the reactionary forces throughout Russia had suffered complete defeat—still, it is better late than never. We have hopes now that our country will be able at last to begin peaceful, constructive work.

ARE APPRECIATIVE

"We are highly appreciative of the great service that you have rendered us in this struggle. If the Russian counter-revolution and intervention failed, it was not only because of the perserverance and heroism of our revolutionary people, who have risen to the defense of their country, purged in the fire of revolution—but it was also thanks to the support which you have lent us.

"Your powerful voice of protest, together with the military failures and defeats of the white armies, have compelled your governments to give up the idea of crushing the Russian revolution.

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AT LAST THE GERMANS HAVE PICKED ONTO SOME ONE EVERYBODY HOPES THEY CAN CONQUER

—J. N. Darling, New York Tribune

HOUSING BOARD IS TO PROMOTE GUILD SOCIALISM

Will Revolutionise Industrial Control, In Opinion Of Experts

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, June 5.—The attempt to cope with the serious housing problem has resulted in a very interesting experiment being made in London and Manchester in the application of "guild socialism" which, it is believed, will completely revolutionise industrial control.

Under the system a trade-union ticket is a certificate of membership of the "guild," which is designed to mobilise the necessary labor and eventually to undertake all branches of the building industry, supplying skilled architects and engineers and carrying on all the necessary and desirable public and private work.

TO INCREASE POWERS

The labor of the "guildsman" will no longer be a marketable commodity but he will be "on the strength" for life. It is anticipated that the Guild will be able to increase the purchasing powers of its members' pay by scientific organisation of production.

Discussions have been proceeding with the Ministry of Health with reference to the percentage of cost allowable for management. This has now been settled on a basis of 6 percent in addition to remuneration of £40 per house, payable by the local authority.

Big Battle Soon, Says Polish Wire

(*Reuter's Service*)

Warsaw, June 5.—A Polish official communique, issued today, says:

"Important operations are in progress on the northern front where Narotch is the pivot of a vast movement with the object of flattening the salient and turning the enemy's right.

"The Poles are advancing and have captured considerable quantities of booty. The Polish right is likewise pressing on the retreating enemy and has completely defeated a Bolshevik division and captured a brigade."

GERMAN IS COMING

(*Reuter's Service*)

Paris, June 7.—Dr. Solf, the new German d'Affaires to Japan, will leave Hamburg for Yokohama on the 9th inst.

Well Known Pagoda In Soochow Decorated By Electric Lamps

A Captivate Sight

By T. P. Hsu, (Soochow)

In Soochow, there is a wide-famed ancient pagoda, built during the Han Dynasty, known as the Eight Character Pagoda. Through a hard struggle with time and weather, the pagoda stands quietly, up to the present, with its own glory and grandeur in the northern part of this city.

The pagoda is of a noble height, having nine stories. On its summit, one may, from a giddy height, get a whole view of the city and of the surrounding country. Strangers, therefore, who visit Soochow must go to see the place.

During the past two years or so, the pagoda was closed and admittance was prohibited. In the spring of this year it was flung open and admittance was allowed. Commencing on Saturday last, being the sixty anniversary of *Taiping*, the pagoda was decorated, through the funds donated by its citizens, with about three hundred electric lamps. This is called by the citizens as *roasting the pagoda*.

The grand structure was scattered with sparkling fires just as the high vault of heaven is covered with twinkling stars. The whole city was illuminated with irradiating splendor and filled with unusual brightness; nearly every house was empty; they all turned out to see the captivate sight. This, is, indeed the first ever in record.

GERMAN ELECTIONS

(*Reuter's Service*)

Berlin, June 6.—The elections took place today throughout Germany. No disturbances are reported.

Congress Through; President Scores Laxity Of Body

(*Reuter's Service*)

Washington, June 6.—Congress has adjourned sine die.

Washington, June 5.—President Wilson, replying to the request of the Railroad Brotherhood to prevent the adjournment of Congress, sharply criticises the failure of Congress to deal with the cost of living, deplores its inaction in other vital matters, and declares that Congress is not only preventing the conclusion of peace with Europe but has failed to present a constructive plan for dealing with the deplorable conditions there.

BABY GIRL DIES WHEN STRUCK BY HOE; BOY IS HELD

Father Of Victim Declares Youth Made Threats Against Child

Suspicion of foul play was aroused yesterday when an investigation was begun in connection with the death of a six-year-old girl whose skull was fractured by a blow from a hoe in the hands of an 18-year-old boy who was working in her father's field on the outskirts of Shanghai. The youth declared the child was the victim of an accident. The girl's father asserted that the boy had made threats against his daughter and that he suspected murder.

American Assessor Tenney and Magistrate Kwan in the Mixed Court decided to allow the police another week in which to continue their investigations before disposing of the case and a remand for that length of time was ordered. In the meantime the youth is to be detained without bail.

The case was first reported as an accident but the circumstances were suspicious and an inquest was called for. At the hearing it developed, according to the testimony of the child's father, that the lad had inquired of him last Sunday "what would happen if he killed her." There had been a quarrel between the youngsters, the father said.

Turkey Has 2 Weeks To Consider Terms

(*Reuter's Service*)

Constantinople, June 6.—The Allied High Commissioners have informed the Sublime Porte that the Peace Conference has granted Turkey a fortnight extension of time within which to examine the peace terms.

Paris, June 6.—The Matin states that the Spa conference will probably be adjourned until July 5 or 8, and that M. Millerand and Mr. Lloyd George will meet at a French coast town before the end of June.

The Petit Parisien understands that M. Millerand has definitely instructed M. de Halgouet, the French economic representative in London, not to associate himself with any decision which might be interpreted as an indirect recognition of the Moscow Government, or in any way compromise the security of French creditors represented by the gold seized by the Bolsheviks from the Russian State Bank.

The journal adds that the agreement between the British and French on this subject appears to be complete.

$6,500 RAISED HERE TO BUY RICE FOR CHEAP EXCHARGES

Members of the local Chinese gentry have raised the sum of $6,500 with which to purchase rice for the two cheap exchanges now in operation at the Dragon King Temple and the Boatmen's Guild. The price of the cereal remains firm at $11 per picul.

The request of the rice exchanges to take delivery of the 454 piculs of rice confiscated by the Civil Governor of Kiangsu was rejected yesterday. The cereal is now kept at the godown of the Shanghai-Hangchow Railway and the sum of $260 is now due for godown fees. The railway administration claimed the full rate and the exchange authorities refused to pay. The matter now goes before the City Magistrate Mr. Shen Pao-chang.

The two exchanges did good business again yesterday. Over 50 more piculs were sold to the poor at 1,000 coppers per picul. Armed police patrolled the depots during the business hours.

JAPAN BUSINESS SHOT TO PIECES

Dishonored Bills Increase In Number, According To Osaka Report

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Osaka, June 7.—There is no improvement in the general business outlook and, if anything, it is worse. Bankers' clearings show a marked decrease and on the other hand dishonored bills are rapidly increasing. New enterprises and extensions have diminished considerably.

During May the excess of imports over exports was 100,000,000 Yen and the aggregate excess since January amounted to 440,000,000 Yen.

Stocks, yarn and rice are all depressed. Rice, which maintained comparative strength is now demoralised. Early in May rice futures were quoted at about 40 Yen per koku and they are now 33 Yen.

ALL GOODS DOWN

Yarns early in May were about 400 Yen per bale but they now stand at 250 Yen. Stocks of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha are keeping at about the 150 Yen level, which two months ago was 250 Yen.

Yokohama raw silk which early in May stood at about 200 Yen, is now about 130 Yen.

Various price indexes show that commodities fell about 10 percent during May.

Unemployment both of laborers and salaried men is increasing while the retail prices of daily necessaries are still high. This is regarded as a most dangerous social factor.

Strikes are now almost unheard of because this is not the time for wage advances. The South Manchuria Railway is reducing its staff to the extent of ten thousand employes.

Osaka, June 8.—Investigations made by the Osaka prefectural office show that during the past three months 357 factories were closed and 8,500 workers were discharged, of whom 6,500 secured new employment.

The above only covers Osaka. Figures for the whole of Japan are not yet available.

Says Mesopotamia Is Very Rich In Oil

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, June 5.—Sir John Cadman, Director of the Petroleum Executive lecturing last night on "The Oil Resources of the British Empire," dealt specifically with Mesopotamia, "which," he said, "offered great possibilities for the prospector."

Regarding the impression in America that it was Great Britain's intention to corner the world's oil supply Sir John Cadman pointed out that it was not Great Britain's policy to exclude foreign participation in British Oil enterprise. Regulations to this effect were merely legitimate war-time measures.

The British Empire was not the greatest producer of oil but was absorbing more than her own supply and consequently it was increasingly difficult to supply other countries. It therefore behoved Great Britain to find another source to supply her demands.

REJECTS PROPOSALS

London, June 6.—The Sunday Express learns that the Government has decided to reject the proposals for the surrender of the Mesopotamian oilfields, thus facilitating the independence of the Empire as regards its petroleum supply.

VESSEL ON ROCKS NOW IMPERILED BY STORM

Typhoon Sweeping Up China Coast Is New Menace

TUGS STANDING BY

Little Fear Felt For Safety Of Crew Of Pak Ling

With a typhoon sweeping up the China Coast, after having arisen near the Carolines and striking Formosa, the Blue Funnel freighter Pak Ling was believed to be in a precarious position last night aground on the low rock known as Button Island in Bonham Pass.

Two tugs, hastily despatched from Shanghai were standing by and crews of divers and coolies were at work in an attempt to float the vessel but at last reports she was still fast on the rock, leaking badly in the forepeak.

The Pak Ling went ashore on the rocky island Sunday night. Reports are so meager that it has been impossible to learn the cause of the wreck.

TUGS TO RESCUE

On Monday the tugs St. Dominic and Victoria were despatched to her assistance at the instruction of the agents, Messrs. Butterfield and Swire, and took with them wrecking crews to float the vessel. Radio messages last evening indicated that the efforts had not yet been successful but that it was hoped the ship could be re-floated before the arrival of the typhoon, should its course include the scene of the accident.

The Pak Ling, which is of 4,621 tons burden, sailed from Liverpool on April 24 bound for Shanghai via Hongkong with a general cargo. She is reported to have upwards of 100 persons on board. It is presumed, however, that with the tugs standing by these people are in little danger.

MAY STRIKE ISLAND

As to the possibility of the typhoon taking a track that would include Button Island, which is some 60 miles south of Shanghai, a quotation from the new Atlas issued by Director Louis Froc, S. J., of Siccawei Observatory, regarding June weather conditions is timely.

The Director shows on a chart 34 tracks of typhoons and points out that although tropical storms have not much increased in numbers the translation of their movement towards the Northwest is asserting itself more and more. But he adds:

"The more interesting feature for us is that the China Coast is no more invulnerable; the typhoons may strike Kwangtung and even in two instances give warning that they can rise up to Foochow, and pay a visit, after recurving inland, to the mouth of the Yangtszekiang."

It is expected that suspense felt last night as to the fate of the Pak Ling will be ended early today as radio messages are expected at that time reporting progress on the work of salving the steamer.

Sinn Fein Wins Big Irish Victory

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, June 6.—The Irish local government elections have resulted in a sweeping victory for Sinn Feinism, except in north-east Ulster and County Londonderry.

The great majority of Irish county and district councils are now exclusively Sinn Fein.

The position in Ulster is substantially as before, except that the Unionists majority of one in Tyrone has been converted into a minority of two.

FIRED ON PATROL

London, June 6.—Concealed Sinn Feiners fired on a military patrol in County Kerry yesterday. The troops returned the fire and succeeded in capturing three of the attacking party.

A hundred armed men today surprised a patrol of twelve policemen and soldiers between Carrigtwohill and Midleton, County Cork, and captured the patrol's rifles, ammunition and bicycles.

PLEBISCITE IN PRUSSIA

(*Reuter's Service*)

Berlin, June 5.—The Inter-Allied Commission here announced today that the East Prussian plebiscite in the Allenstein and Oletzko districts would be held on July 11.

Dry Campaigner Who Returns From Europe

"PUSSYFOOT" JOHNSON

William Eugene Johnson dubbed "Pussyfoot" by the British wets, snapped upon his arrival in New York aboard the American liner New York. England will be as dry as the Sahara within ten years, declared the prohibition crusader, upon his arrival. And France, to use his exact words, "is up in the air." The drought, however, asserted Mr. Johnson, will come within the next few years. He joked about the "ragging" incident in London which cost him an eye. Mr. Johnson will go to his home in Westerville, Ohio, for a visit. After that he will make addresses in many cities and return to England in September.

U. S. PASSPORT FEES INCREASED

Rise Of From $2 To $10 Is Announced; Charges For Visas Also Lifted

Charges imposed for the issuance of American passports and the fees for approving officially passports held by nationals other than Americans have been increased just 400 percent—or from $2 to $10—by the American Department of State, according to an announcement issued yesterday by Mr. Edwin S. Cunningham, American Consul-General.

While the change in the scale of fees for American passports does not become effective until July 1, for all practical purposes the higher rates are now in effect because it is announced that "applications for department passports which cannot reach Washington prior to June 25 will come within the scope of the new scale."

No mail to leave Shanghai can reach Washington before that date. In the past two years fees have been charged for the issuance of either regular or emergency passports, a fee of $1 for the application and an additional fee of $1 for the passport. It is the fee for the passport which has been increased, from $1 to $9, as the fee for applications will remain at $1.

Concerning charges for the handling of the passports of other nationals, the announcement says: "On and after July 1 all aliens, other than officials, will be charged a fee of U. S. $1 for execution of visa, and U. S. $9 for the visa of passport for travel to or through the United States."

All fees quoted are gold.

Chicago Is Filled For Rep. Convention

(*Reuter's Service*)

Chicago, June 5.—Chicago is filled to overflowing for the Republican Convention, which opens on June 8 with Senator Lodge as temporary Chairman.

The Convention will meet in the Coliseum, the scene of the historic split in 1912.

Owing to the large number of independent delegates, the comparative chances of the many aspirants to the Presidency cannot be determined.

WILL MEET BOLSHEVIST

(*Reuter's Service*)

Washington, June 4.—The United States will be represented unofficially at the conference between M. Krassin and the representatives of the Supreme Economic Council in London.

HSU INVITES LI, TSAO AND CHANG UP TO PEKING

Non-Anfu Men Asked To Confer With Chief Northern Executive

MORE CITIES FALL

Chang Ching-yao Fails To Keep Re-Captured Positions In Hunan

HONAN WANTS WU

Defiant Tuchun Wants To Station Chihli Men In His Province

Impatient with the numerous requests for a declaration of war against Hunan, Old Hsu has issued a call to the three non-Anfu Tuchuns, Li Shun of Kiangsu, Tsao Kun of Chihli and Chang Tso-lin of Fengtien, to come up to Peking. Hsu expects to strengthen his position against the Anfuites in the North, who still want Tuan Chi-jui to go down to Hunan to crush the Southern forces.

Although the three military Governors have not yet had time to reply, it is likely that all will accept the invitation. Chang Tso-lin, for the last few months, has been most anxious for an excuse to enter the capital. Though a military man, he despises the Anfu militarists. He wants to test his strength against the Anfuites if necessary.

Tsao Kun will willingly pay a visit to Peking. He will welcome the opportunity of explaining what his crack lieutenant, General Wu Pei-fu, is doing for Hsu. He would like to know whether really the president approves the conduct of his protege. Then Hsu and Tsao can map out the most advantageous position which Wu should take in order to be able to check the Anfu army effectively.

Li Shun's support to Old Hsu has been most beneficial. As dean of the Yangtsze Tuchuns, he did much in persuading the Northern militarists to sign the armistice in 1917. During the entire internal conflict, his attitude has been one of neutrality, never siding with the Anfuites even when they were at their best.

PARLEY ESSENTIAL

To Old Hsu, a conference with these pillars of state is highly profitable if not essential. It will be easy for these four to reach a clear understanding whereby the notorious Anfu Gang may be broken up. Perhaps, never was there a time more opportune than now to have this done. Compared with the other leaders now in power, Old Hsu is more acceptable. But he has no material force behind him. His calling in of the three military men will lend him strength, strength to defy the obnoxious Anfuites.

In the capital today only the vigilance of the Diplomatic Corps is preventing the Border Defense Army from moving Southward. The mobilisation of one of the divisions under Chen Wen-yuen has drawn an unofficial protest from one of the legations.

The Joint Bureau of the General Staff and the Ministry of War is anxious to help Chang Ching-yao. But the lack of funds and ammunition makes it hesitate. Meanwhile the wire between Changsha and Peking is kept hot with messages from Chang. Telegram after telegram reports reverses suffered by the Northern troops and loss of cities.

FIVE MORE CITIES LOST

Several more cities have been lost, according to his despatches. The new list includes Yuhsien, Chailing, Yiyang, Yungchien and Yutang. With the fresh supply of munitions from the Hangyang Arsenal, Chang's troops are bombarding some of the lost towns, but without success.

Hengshan was the only post recaptured by Chang after heavy bombardment but he lost it after taking possession of it for one day. An attempt was also made to re-capture the lost position at Anjeng but he was repulsed with severe casualties.

The withdrawal of Chihli troops from the Hunan front continues. General Wu Pei-fu left Hankow Monday after the departure from there of 32 trainloads of troops under his command. All the freight cars along the Kinhan Railway were commandeered for that purpose. According to his present

plan, his forces will be distributed in the following manner:

The Fifth Mixed Brigade, quartered in trains No. 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5, to be stationed in Chengchow, Honan.

Three regiments of cavalry, quartered in train No. 6, to be conveyed to the Huangho Bridge.

HONAN HAS BIG FORCE

The Eighth Brigade, quartered in trains No. 7 and 8, to be sent to Sincheng, Honan.

The First Brigade, quartered in trains No. 10, 11, 12, 13 and 14, to be stationed in the vicinity of Hsuchow and Yencheng, Honan.

The Main Division staff officers and engineers and transport corps, quartered in the Train No. 15, will establish their headquarters in Chengchow, Honan.

The Second Mixed Brigade, quartered in trains No. 16, 17, 18, 19 and 20 to be left in Churnatien, Honan.

The Third Mixed Brigade quartered in the trains No. 21, 22, 23, 24 and 25, will find their destination in Tsechow and Shentehfu, Chihli.

The Sixth Mixed Brigade and three regiments of artillery, quartered in trains No. 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31 and 32, will also proceed to Chengchow, Honan, where the headquarters of the division will be established.

General Chao Ti, the definant Honan Tuchun, has asked the Central Government, to allow General Wu Pei-fu's troops to be distributed in the manner described. Most of the forces, it will be noticed, are in his province.

The Central Government, of course, has no alternative but to consent.

NO ALARM AT HANKOW

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Hankow, June 7.—General Wu Pei-fu's soldiers are at present in large numbers at Hankow. It is rumored that General Wu has demanded Taels 14,000,000 from the Military Governor of Wuchang and that he has received Taels 1,000,000 from the Chinese Chamber of Commerce at Hankow.

The Wuchang-Changsha Railway is most probably closed, the railway staff having been intimidated by the soldiers. It is very difficult to get any definite news but no great alarm is felt here.

Fortune In Petrol Explodes At Kobe

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Kobe, June 7.—Yesterday evening a most serious explosion took place in the port here. Four thousand five hundred drums of gasoline, on board a number of lighters, moored at a pier, blew up.

The damage is estimated at over 1,000,000 Yen. It is feared that there have been some fatalities.

Later.—The cause of the explosion is reported to have been a lighterman's cigarette. It is now known that one person was killed and three were injured, while two have not yet been accounted for.

Dr. C. D. Tenney Has New Appointment

Dr. Charles D. Tenney, First Secretary of the American Legation in Peking who has been Charge d'Affaires until the arrival of Mr. Charles R. Crane, the new Minister, has been appointed by the State Department as Councillor of the Legation. He will remain in China for several more months. He will travel extensively in the interest of the department. Dr. Tenney will then return to America with his family. Upon the expiration of 60 days' leave after arriving home, however, he will tender his resignation.

Birkenhead Gate Wrecked By Coaster

(Reuter's Service)

London, June 5.—The coaster Countess collided with the gate of the Alfred Dock at Birkenhead today and immediately a cataract poured over the gate, sweeping away and overturning small craft.

A dozen tugs dashed to the rescue. Those who were floating were picked up and others swam to the sides of the dock and clung there, thus saving themselves from a fall of twelve feet.

The current, which was running at 60 miles per hour, flung wreckage up on the banks half a mile away. It was at first feared that there were about 15 to 20 lost but it has now been learned that only a few are missing.

Prince Of Wales To Take Vacation; Will Play Golf

(Reuter's Service)

Ballarat, June 3.—Owing to the strain of two months' constant public engagements, the Prince of Wales has agreed to take a week's holiday, golfing, near Melbourne, before commencing his engagements for his tour of New South Wales.

The Australian press pays a handsome tribute to the manner in which the Prince courageously met all his engagements uncomplainingly and expresses the opinion that the rest holiday should extend over the proposed week.

RECEIVES MEDAL

Melbourne, June 3.—The Prince of Wales was today presented with the badge of Chief Patron of the Returned Soldiers' and Sailors' League of Australia. The President of the League, in presenting the badge, referred to the appreciation felt by the soldiers of the Commonwealth, of the Prince's visits to the Australians in France.

ATTENDS THE RACES

Melbourne, June 5.—The Prince of Wales attended the Flemington race course today and presented the Prince of Wales's Cup to the winner of the race, "Earlborn," an outsider.

U.S. ON AERO SUBJECT

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, June 5.—The House of Representatives has passed a bill to prevent the dumping in the United States of foreign-built aeroplanes.

Biggest Battleship Put Into Commission

(Reuter's Service)

New York, June 4.—The superdreadnought Tennessee, said to be the largest battleship afloat, has been commissioned.

The vessel cost £4,000,000; her tonnage is 32,500 tons and she carries twelve fourteen-inch guns. Special features of the construction of the Tennesse are the "fighting-brain" near the top-mast, in which all the devices for observing enemy ships are concentrated, and also the electrical control of speed, which enables a quick change from top speed of 21 knots to an almost imperceptible motion.

President Cables Greeting To King

(Reuter's Service)

London, June 5.—President Wilson, telegraphing birthday congratulations to King George, said: "I am confident that it (the King's birthday) auspiciously comes at the dawn of a new era of friendship and goodwill which it will be the privilege of our kindred peoples to advance towards full achievement."

The King replied:

"I most cordially echo the hope that, in the struggle to create a better world for mankind, which is the first duty bequeathed us by our glorious comradeship in war, our two nations may be found indissolubly linked alike in effort and achievements."

Most Wartime Laws Are To Be Repealed

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, June 4.—The House of Representatives has adopted and sent to the Senate resolutions repealing all wartime laws, except the food control law and the law against trading with the enemy.

Washington, June 5.—The Senate today adopted without a division the House of Representatives's resolution, repealing all war-time legislation.

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Smiles from the Mixed Court

THE LIGHT THAT FAILED

With rice rising steadily in price and other phases of the H. C. L. staring her in the face, Madame Dzung Wong-sze felt it incumbent upon her to curtail expenses.

This, it should be explained, is the theory of the police as expounded before the Mixed Court yesterday when the Madame was called on a charge of larceny and had her case remanded for a week.

Mr. W. F. Dearn, installation inspector for the Municipal Electricity Department, made the complaint.

It appears that that Madame Dzung felt that light should be shed on her home at 1836 Avenue Road.

And when her bills seemed unnaturally light, Inspector Dearn thought light should be shed on the situation.

He says the result of his light on her light was that the light light bills were due to a slight lightening of the action of the meter in her home.

The lady's purse is $300 bail money lighter now and will remain so until the court is enlightened.

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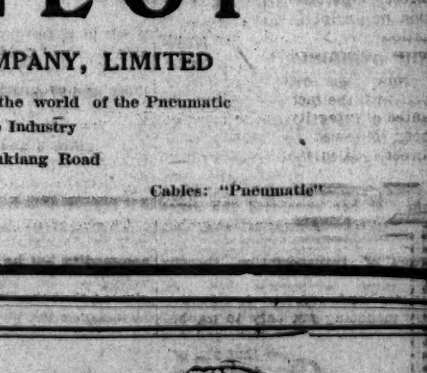

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Statement To Powers Has Salutary Effect On Pact Procedure

WORLD IS ASTONISHED

'Sleepy Dragon,' Awaking, Makes Intriguants Reorganise Schemes

BY NATHANIEL PEFFER
(Our Peking Correspondent)

Peking, June 5.—The sympathy of every foreign resident of China—of any nationality—will surely be with China in the stand it has taken with respect to the Anglo-Japanese Alliance.

At least, no student of Far Eastern affairs will minimise the historic importance of its declaration.

To be sure, China's statement will hardly have immediate effect. There does not seem to be much likelihood that any decisive action will be taken immediately, either by Great Britain or Japan, dealing with the future of the Alliance.

By the terms of the treaty either party can give notice on the 13th of next month that, at the expiration of a year, the Alliance can be abrogated. Or, similarly, negotiations for renewal can be opened at that time.

But all the intimations that have come—at least, from London—indicate that neither party wishes to take any positive stand now. It is more likely that a policy of drift will be followed until some opportunity forces the issue to a decision.

Then, it is equally likely that the treaty will be allowed quietly to die and its demise will be gently announced, with discreet diplomatic camouflage. For, to those who live in the Far East, at least, the Alliance seems to have outlived its usefulness to either party. It requires a discerning vision to see any reason for its continued existence.

CHINA ON RECORD

But China has declared itself, nevertheless. If and when the alliance should come up for renewal or revision, it can have appreciation itself to only two situations: Siberia and China.

Of these two the more important is China. And China has given notice that, inasmuch as any treaty contracted, applying to it, affects its status and its future, it has a right to a voice in that determination. That is the gist of its communique to the British Foreign Office.

In other words, China asserts its entity as a nation and its claim to maturity.

For fifty years or more the Powers have been making compacts about China. They have been apportioning respective spheres, earmarking this or that, even guaranteeing the country's integrity.

And all this while China has sat and looked on as a much-interested spectator at the disposition of its lot in the society of nations.

THE 'ETHIOPIAN'

Now pass over charitably, if you will, the fact that every guarantee of integrity and so forth has been followed by some action directly calculated to undermine China's independence and reduce its state to that of a vassal.

"Heaven protect me from my friends," can be China's only sentiment on a perusal of treaties made by other Powers concerning it.

Pass over that if you will; but the fact remains that the most interested party to any of these treaties is China itself. And, as the most interested party, China is merely asking to be heard.

If the great Powers really have any belief in the pious assertions of China's sovereignty, they cannot contest that claim.

A VASSAL STATE

Any state whose position can be determined by other states without being consulted is not a sovereign state. It is a possession—an international possession, if you will. And ye have not yet come to that. Certainly China has not conceded it.

For China, too, it is more than a matter of *amour propre*. It has precedents to consider. Great Britain and Japan now make a treaty guaranteeing China's integrity.

Good. But what if Germany and Russia, twenty years from now, or Russia and Japan, make another treaty apportioning China between themselves as a protectorate?

If China yields acquiescence to the one, what position has it in the other?

Its only safety is a blanket assertion that it is not bound by any treaties concerning itself which have not at least been initialled in advance.

THE OPEN DOOR

Take the matter of the so-called Open Door, for instance. Suppose Great Britain and Japan again pledge themselves to the maintenance of the "open door" in China. Has not China a right to inquire just what that means and how it affects itself? Does it mean the "open door," as it is now, is open in South Manchuria? Or in Shantung?

Or take the matter of Japan's "special position" in China—the recognition of which Japan wants far more than it wants promises of the assistance of the British fleet.

Has not China a right to be heard, before special positions on its soil are awarded anybody?

Conceivably, international affairs may again take a turn where Japan has bargaining power that puts every other country at its mercy. It is not outside the possibilities that it may be in a position to wrest any concession from those Powers, especially concessions not costing them anything. It might even get from them a complete free hand in China, the right to establish a protectorate.

Shall China complacently allow itself to be made the sport of diplomatic gambles? China has just declared that it will not.

A SHREWD MOVE

Whether attended by success or failure, as a diplomatic move, China's note is shrewd.

If Japan and Great Britain acknowledge its right to be consulted it will have achieved for for itself a new position—a position of far-reaching importance.

It will have won for itself a parity with other Powers. It will be as a sovereign state, dealing in full equality with other states.

If Japan and Great Britain refuse China's right to be heard, they will write themselves down publicly as insincere in all their professions of disinterestedness in China, and they will have given China cause for an appeal against them, and a weapon of defense.

That is a commitment few people out here believe Great Britain is willing or shortsighted enough to make.

In any case China will have gained.

American S.S. Line Buys German Routes

(Reuter's Service)

New York, June 6.—As a result of negotiations with representatives of the Hamburg-America line, who arrived in America several weeks ago, the American Ship and Commerce Corporation has taken over the trade routes which the Hamburg-America line abandoned at the outbreak of war.

It is stated that the agreement whereby American ships will be supplied to reopen the German routes holds for twenty years.

Chinese Detective Accused Of Asking Bribe Of Gambler

A Chinese detective constable accused of soliciting and accepting a bribe from a Chinese gambling house proprietor was called before the Mixed Court yesterday. The case was remanded to the British Assessor by American Assessor Jacobs and Magistrate Li.

It is charged that Wong Sanding, the detective constable, demanded $200 and that he was paid the sums of $30, $70 and $10.

He was released on $300 shop security.

The accused constable has been on the force for two and a half years.

THIEVES STEAL CURIOS

(Reuter's Service)

Copenhagen, June 6.—A Weimar telegram states that robbers broke into the Prince's Mausoleum there yesterday and stole the gold and silver wreaths from the tombs of Schiller, Goethe and their protector, the Duke Karl Alexander of Saxe-Weimar.

PRINCE AT THEATER

(Reuter's Service)

Melbourne, June 6.—The Prince of Wales' public program in Victoria concluded last night with a brilliant gala performance at the theater. The Prince met with a tumultuous reception.

MORE YACHT TRIALS

(Reuter's Service)

Newport, Rhode Island, June 4.—The Resolute's victory over the Vanitie was in the opening trial for the selection of the defender of the America's Cup and further trials will be run before the defender is finally chosen.

SOVIET DECIDES TO ISSUE MONEY

Committee Also Confers On Housing Problem And Passes Laws

(Russia News Agency)

Vladivostok, June 6.—The local committee on financial and economic affairs here discussed today money currency reform. The resolution adopted reads as follows:

"One hundred and fifty millions' worth of paper money of American make will be put in circulation and will be guaranteed by cash stock of gold and silver in the Vladivostok State Bank to the amount of seventy one millions' worth of gold roubles.

"Siberian money, all coupons and loan bonds are to be exempted from circulation within ten days in cities and within twenty days in villages, at the rate of one hundred roubles in Siberian money for one American rouble.

"Special regulations will be issued for C. E. Railway."

GRANTS AN AMNESTY

By a decree, the Provisional Government in Vladivostok has granted an amnesty on a large scale to the political offenders and even to a certain category of criminal offenders who have committed their crimes for political considerations, except those who were guilty of high treason.

In another decree, the Provisional Government has reformed the Court by introducing new regulations and by amending the old ones. According to these reforms, the local people's judges (Justice of the peace) as well as the Councils of people's judges, are offices to which the the people's judges are to be elected by the population and in which the lawsuits are to be decided collectively.

Both males and females at the age of 25 years and more, with an education of the middle school or with practical knowledge of performing jurisdical affairs, can be elected to the office of people's judge.

HOUSING PROBLEM

The Provisional Government has reorganised the housing committee in Vladivostok. According to the new reforms resulting in the foundation of the housing committee, the latter has been empowered:

1.—To regulate all private, public, inhabitable and uninhabitable buildings, as well as the buildings which are to be adjusted for housing;

2.—To distribute the housing reserve among the population;

3.—To requisition buildings within the power of this regulation;

4.—To settle new tenents in the houses where the cubic contents of air allows;

5.—To adjust uninhabitable buildings for housing and to facilitate the construction of new buildings by houseowners.

NO EXTRA SESSION

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, June 4.—Senator Underwood declared in the Senate today that he was authorised to announce that President Wilson assured the Senate Democrats that, if the session ends tomorrow, he would not call an extra session this summer unless in case of emergency.

WANT WOMAN CHIEF

(Reuter's Service)

Chicago, June 5.—Miss Mary Garrett Day, Chairman of the Republican Women's National Executive Committee, announced today that the women are to demand that the National Committee be increased from 48 to 96 members and that a woman Chairman be appointed.

140 School Girls Menaced By Fire

(Reuter's Service)

London, June 6.—A fire broke out at two o'clock this morning in the Methodist boarding-school at Bideford. The 140 girl boarders were roused by their mistresses and paraded in the calmest possible manner through the smoke-filled dormitories. They marched in their nightdresses and barefooted into the gale-swept grounds and pluckily gave assistance to the volunteer firemen.

The building—and, with it, all their clothing—was destroyed in half-an-hour. The damage is estimated at £40,000.

PROTEST JAP TROOPS

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, June 8.—It is semi-officially stated that the Government has lodged a verbal protest with the Japanese legation against the continued maintenance of Japanese troops along the Chinese Eastern Railway.

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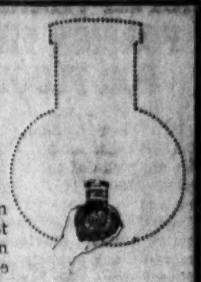

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The following program will be given, weather permitting, by the band in the Public Garden today, beginning at 5:30 p.m.:

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Miss Louis Blythman of Darlington, Yorkshire, England and Mr. C. F. Burdett were married yesterday morning at Holy Trinity Cathedral by the Very Rev. Dean Symonds. The bride was given away by Mr. F. H. Craddock and Miss Mabel Morgan was bridesmaid and Mr. George Copley was best man.

The bride was attired in lemon crepe de Chine trimmed with gold motifs with a hat of black and gold lace with veil attached. The bridesmaid wore blue Georgette crepe with white hat. Messrs. J. M. Lonergan and R. J. Burke Close acted as ushers. Following the ceremony a reception was held at Shepherd's after which the couple left on a honeymoon trip to Hangchow.

Mrs. Sidney Spooner To Be Buried Today

The funeral of Mrs. Sidney Spooner, whose death occurred yesterday at "Whiteleafe," No. 111 North Szechuen Road Extension will be held at 6 o'clock this afternoon at Bubbling Well Cemetery. A requiem high mass will be held at 8 o'clock this morning in the Church of St. Joseph in the French Concession.

Mrs. Spooner, who was 53 years old at the time of her death, was widely known in Shanghai for her philanthropic and charitable work. She was one of the founders of the Charity League of the Convent of the Holy Family on North Honan Road. Her death occurred after an illness of six weeks. Mrs. Spooner was the daughter of the late Augustus White.

Obituary

MR. G. W. GEGG
(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Hongkong, June 8.—The death is announced of Mr. G. W. Gegg, acting clerk of the course, Hongkong Jockey Club.

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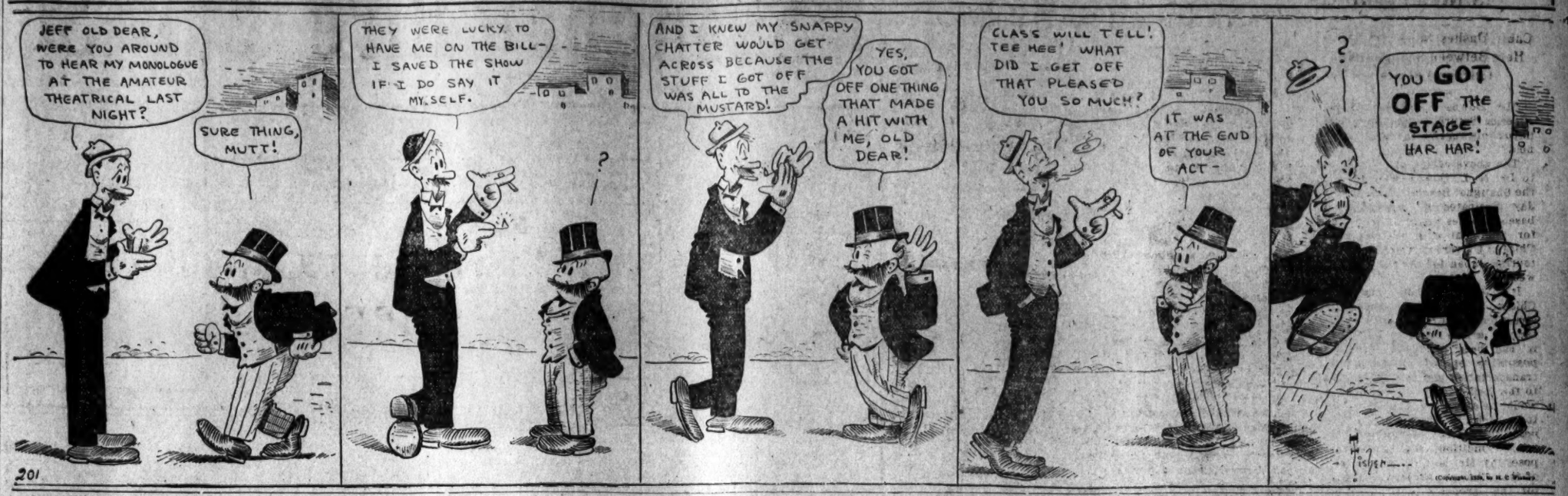

West China's First Motor Car Excites

(*China Press Correspondence*)

Chengtu, June 4.—The introduction of the first motor vehicle into West China by a missionary has produced a sensation in Szechuen. The Rev. James M. Yard of the Methodist Mission in Chengtu, who recently returned from furlough, brought with him a motorcycle, the gift of friends in America. It is the first motor vehicle to go west of Hankow, and Mr. Yard has spent most of his time demonstrating it to schools and civic bodies in the provincial capital. One day all the newspaper men of Chengtu gathered to see it, and the missionary says that it has given him more publicity than all the usual work which he has done in that city. With the publicity goes a liberal amount of thrill, as might be expected in navigating the first motor vehicle through the narrow streets of a Chinese city. In fact, the only comfortable place for riding so far discovered by Mr. Yard has been on top of the city wall.

Western Returned Students To Hold Meeting Saturday

The Western Returned Students' Union will hold their annual general meeting and dinner at the Yi Ping Shang Hotel on Saturday. Beginning at 5 o'clock, the meeting will be called when the chairman's report and the report of the work of the past year will be presented. The election of officers for the ensuing year will conclude the business meeting.

The dinner will commence at 7 o'clock. A musical program has been arranged and several speakers of national fame will give addresses.

London Sends Out Military Review

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, June 4.—The War Office weekly review of military operations issued this evening says:

"In Siberia, the Japanese are conducting a canverging movement from Castries Bay and down the Amur river against the Russians entrenched north of Lake Kisi. Their seaplanes based on the lake are reconnoitering the Russian positions.

"In Mesopotamia, raiding activity on the upper Euphrates has largely ceased, as a result of the raiders' losses; but raiders on May 24, wrecked a goods train south of Mosuk, causing thirteen casualties.

70 CHRISTIANS KILLED

"In Syria, the French columns operating in the Tyre region against the Metwallis, who recently massacred seventy Christians, have swept the country as far as the southern boundary of French territory.

"By an oversight, a village in the British zone was bombarded and occupied. The French commander has undertaken that this shall not recur.

"West of the sources of the Jordan, a French column has met with considerable opposition and had not reached its objectives by May 25. Large numbers of refugees have fled into the British zone and refuse to return."

Kwantung Body Against Gambling

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Canton, June 5.—The Kwangtung Provincial Assembly has passed a bill abolishing gambling. It is not believed that the Government will approve the bill.

The leading schools declared a holiday yesterday in order to allow students to visit shops and homes with a view to enrolling men, women and children in the anti-gambling crusade. The students themselves are pledged to refrain from gambling.

News Brevities

The trial of C. Graham Bushby will take place at the British Supreme Court on June 22.

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Dr. Walter G. Hiltner and family returned to Shanghai yesterday on the China Merchants Kiangsin; after a two weeks holiday at Kuling.

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Shanghai cinema lovers will be delighted to hear that the Apollo Theater has arranged for the film: "Lord and Lady Algy." Details of the time of which appear on the amusement page of this issue. The film has scored a tremendous success wherever it has been shown, and the management of the Apollo is to be congratulated on this great addition to their usually excellent program.

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A Chinese arrested in connection with a recent opium robbery was called before the Mixed Court yesterday and his case was remanded for one week. The man is held in connection with a recent raid on a gold shop when two foreigners led a band of Chinese, all representing themselves as being members of the police force, and absconded with opium valued at $14,400. Two Americans were arrested on suspicion in the case but were released for lack of evidence.

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Announcement was made yesterday by the Municipal Council that time for the beginning of prosecution of brothel keepers for failure to hold a license would be extended from June 15 to June 30.

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An argument over the ownership of a steamer was the basis of a larceny charge in the Mixed Court yesterday. It was asserted that a brother of the compradore of the Yangtsze Transport and Supply Company seized the vessel before it was fully paid for and converted it to his own purposes. The case was remanded for a week and the defendant released on $500 cash security.

Unclaimed Cablegrams

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4 Elmer Finbury, Amn Consulate, Shanghai.—New York
5 Molden, Shanghai.—Newarknj
6 Leuthstrom, Astor Hotel, Shanghai.—Chicago.

To Open Garden In Woosung Highway

The new public garden on the Woosung Highway at the foot of the Juhong Bridge will be officially opened on the Dragon Boat Festival, June 20. Students of the Ju Chi School will act as ushers when the ceremony takes place. Local officials and members of the gentry are expected to be present on that occasion.

The M. Y. San confectioners and the Hsin Nih Tobacco Co. will offer to sell their products at cost at the garden on the day of the opening.

150 PLANES DESTROYED

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, June 6.—One hundred and fifty of the most modern type of aeroplane were destroyed yesterday by fire in a shed at the aviation school at Cranwell (Lincolnshire). The damage is estimated at £250,000. An inquiry is being opened.

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CHICAGO TEAM IS NOT COMING

Cable Dashes Hopes Of Series Here Between Shanghai And Chicago University

"Dr. Downs, Shanghai: Sailing America Saturday further games impossible regrets thanks—Merrifield."

The above cablegram addressed to Dr. N. L. Downs, President of the Shanghai Baseball Club yesterday dissipated all hope that a baseball series would be arranged for Shanghai with the team of Chicago University which has been touring Japan for the past several weeks.

It was known here that the Chicago players were under instructions to sail for America in time to arrive there in July, but it had been annouced that no possibility existed of obtaining transportation and this gave rise to the belief that the collegians would be able to come on to China for a series in Shanghai and probably for a second series in Tientsin. Conditions that were imposed by Mr. Merrifield, Manager of the Chicago University team, for the proposed trip to China were accepted in a cablegram despatched a couple of weeks ago by Doctor Downs. It is believed here that transportation accommodations to America were obta ned for the university men at the eleventh hour and they found themselves obliged to follow the instructions they were under.

GOOD GAMES COMING

It may be announced, however, that Shanghai fans can be assured of another baseball series in coming weeks.

The Baseball Committee has revived the Red and Blue Sox teams. A meeting was held at the club house yesterday and it was decided that Doctor Clapp should manage the Red Sox while Doctor Downs will take hold of the Blue Sox. The following players were selected for the Red Sox: Holman, Bristow, Claire, Porterfield, Merrill, Wilhoit, Ladd, Smith, Stovall, French, Pomeroy and Blanco.

Doctor Downs aggregation will consist of Held, Hoffman, Gill, Hopkins, Tinkham, Woods, Bills Crow, Lilley, Sperry, Busch and Roberts.

The players mentioned have been urged by the respective managers to turn out for practice regularly. Games will be played beginning Thursday afternoon and will continue on Saturdays Tuesdays and Thursdays for several weeks. This is a splendid chance for new material to appear and prove whether or not they deserve a place on the regular team. Sundays will be reserved for games arranged for the regulars.

MUST PRACTICE

There is a new Richmond in the field, namely the International baseball Club. This new team will engage the Shanghai tossers next Sunday afternoon and according to "Doc" Downs they promise to do a few things to his pets. No doubt the fans would be mightily interested if there was danger of such a possibility.

Both teams are figuring on playing their best in order to show which team should have the right to be regarded as the "Home" team.

Field Day At Shanghai College

Shanghai College held its annual Field and Track Meet Saturday afternoon. The weather was ideal and the contestants in spite of limited practise managed to break several of the home records.

SUMMARY OF SPORTS

100 yds. Dash. Time 10 2-5, seconds. S.M. Peng, 1st; Wang Hao 2nd.

Shot Put. Dist. 36 ft. 3 in.; 1st D. S. Feng; 2nd T. G. Ging.

Half Mile. Time 2 min. 20 sec; 1st Paul Hyine; 2nd G. H. Suh.

High Jump. Height 4 ft. 10 in.; 1st S. L. Fu; 2nd D. S. Feng.

220 Yds. Dash. Time; 24 3-5 secs.; 1st S. M. Feng; 2nd Wang Hao.

Discus Throw. Distance 77 ft. 7 1-2 in.; 1st D. S. Feng; 2nd E. P. Dai.

440 yds. Dash: Time: 60 secs. 1st Wang Hao; 2nd D. N. Yang.

High Hurdles. Time: 19 secs. 1st. D. S. Feng.

Pole Vault. Height: 8 ft. 1 1-2 in. 1st B. C. Djuh; 2nd H. W. Ho.

Broad Jump. Distance: 18 ft. 7 in. 1st Wang Hao; 2nd D. S. Feng.

Mile Run. Time: 5 min. 25 secs. 1st Paul Hyine; 2nd Kitson S. Woong.

Low Hurdles. Time: 32 2-5 secs. 1st Wang Hao.

D. S. Feng and Wang Hao tied for first place in number of points, each having 13 points, and S. M. Peng and Paul Hyine tied for second place each having 6 points.

The following acted as officials: Referee, Giauque; Starter, Holt; Judges, Shires, Jackson, Shen; Timers, Webster, Shires, Kelhofer; Inspectors, Shen, Chen; Scorers, T. R. Ching, S. C. Tsai; Clerks of Course, C. H. Chen, Diou; Announcer, Zee; Marshalls, Fan, Loh, Djang, Hwang.

After the events tea was served and the various prizes were distributed. Among the prizes were three beautiful silver cups sent from America the gift to Percy Chu, a graduate of 1919.

The Basketball shield which was won by the Shanghai College Basketball team was on exhibition. This shield is presented by the East China Intercollegiate Association, to the winning team in the Association. Shanghai College won over all the competing teams and is therefore entitled to the shield.

Selected To Represent America In Davis Cup Matches

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The tennis champions of America who will represent their country in the coming international matches for the Davis Cup, have been selected. William M. Johnston, present American champion (left), William T. Tilden II. (center) and R. Norris Williams are the three American stars chosen.

SHORT AND SOUR

BY 'BUGS' BAER

May first is the notch on the calendar when all the children grab charley horses from flat-wheeling around the May pole.

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The Queen of the May turns mother into a dollar alarm clock and buzzes ma to wake her early. Ma does that little thing and the Queen bounces a high-heeled shoe off mother's skullpiece as a token of love and affliction. Queens hate to be bilked of their complexion snooze even if the complexion is on the dressing table.

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Queenie dolls herself up in chiffon overalls and hangs a halo of poisoned olives around her dome. While sister is spraining her high heels on the May dance, brother is polishing up his workingman's card in the striker's union. He is going to tear off a May Day dance around a policeman's seventeen-year-locust stick. So named because it's seventeen years before you ask what spanked you on the bean.

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May Day means nothing to the man who works. And work means zero to the man who May Days. Don't confuse the honest union laborer with the honest union loaferer. The I. W. W. picks out May Day for its bumming and bombing parades because they love the law. They are friends with the world and shake hands so heartily with the cops that they tear the sleeves out of their uniforms.

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The cop is very courteous also. He tips the other guy's hat and hangs a wreath of lumps on his coco. The high price of wool is bleating on the hillsides and all the world is cutting out paper dolls. They call it May Day because you may live through the day. And you may not. The accent is on the last paragraph.

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In the North, the fields and the woods are riots of color. There are also riots of color in the South. The ice is off the river and the typhoid germs are looking for customers. Nature is wonderful. Flowers are cracking into bloom and the walking delegates are in the woods gathering bouquets of shrinking violence.

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It is May. Which sounds like the start of a Presidential speech, but meaus a month. The corn and rye are poking their heads above the ground, but they might as well pull 'em back. Ain't no use. The brooks are gurgling in the meadows and internal revenue agents are analyzing their contents to determine what makes 'em gurgle. The merry children still dance around the May Pole while the delinquent alienists are playing pinochle. The farmer lets his wife chop the wood, milk the cows, churn the butter and then hitches her to the plow to remind her that life is not one continual round of pleasure. The cruel war is over except for the taxes.

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In spite of the bad telephone connections, Spring is here. The cuckoos are dizzy trying to keep up with the correct time. The sparrow builds himself a nest out of the straw vote and the defeated candidate squawks for a recount. He gets it and is nominated by an overwhelming minority. All through the woods and pastures, happy families are bivouacking far from the high rent district in blizzard-cooled apartments, drenched by the morning dew and kissed by the Sun.

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It is May. Far off in the wicked city, the landlord is picking the young Spring buds off his bankroll.

Cricket In England

(Reuter's Service)

London, June 4.—County Cricket:

Lancashire beat Hampshire by nine wickets.

Essex beat Sussex by 218 runs.

Wen To Be Relieved Of Northern Post

A Presidential Mandate will be issued relieving Wen Tsung-yao of his post as Associate Director of the Pukow Bureau of Commerce and appointing Chou Sung-ju to fill the vacancy.

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SWISS FEARED RED RISING IN MAY

Elaborate Orders To Army Show Government's Nervousness

TROOPS WERE TO SHOOT

Socialists Ask Cabinet Meaning Of Orders—Deny Trouble Was Intended

Berne, May 1.—Nothing could better show the Swiss Government's nervousness about the alleged Bolshevist rising this week end than the following order signed by the Minister of War:

"If troops encounter armed resistance anywhere, the town or locality in question shall be considered in a state of insurrection. Every commanding officer shall forthwith take upon himself to disperse every assembly of the public however small.

"He shall arrest everyone suspected of instigation or provocation and order the closing of all printing offices and meeting places serving these purposes. He shall occupy all telephone offices and forbid the use of the telephone for private purposes. He shall establish observation posts on church towers and other viewpoints.

"Any insurgents throwing stones shall be forthwith fired upon by the infantry and attacked by cavalry charges. Infantry and cavalry shall make unrestricted use of machine-guns and cannon against insurgents who may shoot. Insurrectionary agitators and leaders playing their pranks in the background shall be shot down individually by picked marksmen from upper stories of adjacent houses. In street fighting it is important to occupy upper stories and often the roofs also."

Instructions follow concerning the treatment of a town in insurrection before the troops arrive and concerning the use of scouts in mufti: "Machine-guns and hand grenades must be used against revolutionaries firing from houses, windows or cellars, but hand grenades only if skilled and really capable grenadiers are available. Hand grenades, however, must never be thrown into windows unless it be absolutely certain that some one has fired from them.

"Artillery must be employed against strongly occupied, substantially built houses, for machine-guns are insufficient. Grenades should be used against barricades. For firing against upper stories mountain artillery can be advantageously used. For defense from houses and keeping the fronts of houses clear, hand grenades are preferable, it is recommended, so that the enemy shall not know from which window the firing proceeds or grenades are thrown. Surprise attacks with machine-guns can take place even through closed windows.

"The best way for permanently suppressing resistance in disturbed streets is by patrolling them with motor cars with machine-guns. To clear away barricades break in doors and quickly cut off streets or bridges. All troops departing for street fighting must be provided with tools and wire. In case of having to go out at night on foot cavalry must be armed with bayonets."

Socialist members of Swiss Parliament are interpellating the Government about this order of the War Minister but hitherto the Government has not replied. Apparently the order is mainly meant for Berne, a big village of a hundred thousand inhabitants, remarkably phlegmatic in character. So far as the foeign resident can see there is no warrant for such militarism. Socialist leader questioned about it said, "Nothing was known in Socialist circles of any rising."

TO STOP ITALIAN JEWEL SALE

Rome, April 23.—Commerce in jewels and precious metals would be prohibited and owners would be compelled to cede them to the State under the provisions of a bill presented in the Chamber of Deputies by Deputy Favia, Democrat, today. Receipts would be given to owners and the Government would undertake that the confiscated property should be exchanged for money or returned when, in future national finances would admit.

Possessors of valuables enumerated in the bill who fail to comply with its provisions would be made liable to imprisonment from ten to twenty years.

SILK BY WEIGHT IN VIENNA

Vienna, March 7.—Sewing silk is now being sold here by jeweler's weight. The salesmen use fine jeweler's scales and the price is 12 crowns for one-third of an ounce. Formerly the same quantity sold for 12 hellers. A consignment of sewing silk stolen from a freight car this week was valued at ten million crowns.

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Former Chorus Girl Who Married Title Wins London Suit

LADY CHOLMONDELEY

Lady Clara Cholmondeley has been granted a decree for the restoration of her conjugal rights in the Divorce Court, according to a report from London. Lady Cholmondeley is the daughter of Charles Henry Taylor, of Washington, and was divorced by her first husband in 1909. She was a musical comedy actress before her marriage to Colonel John A. Stirling, who divorced her charging misconduct with Lord Northland. She denied his charges and brought a counter charge, alleging intimacy with Mrs. Mable Atherton, who committed suicide last year.

CHINESE PLAYS IN PARIS

(*Reuter's Service*)

Paris, June 4.—An entertainment, including three Chinese plays and also Chinese music and juggling was given by the Chinese Y.M.C.A. in Paris last night to the Chinese Colony.

The plays were staged without scenery. The principal play, dating from the Tsing dynasty, received cordial applause.

WOULD DERAIL TRAINS

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, June 5.—The Transport Workers' Federation today received Irish trade union delegates with regard to the embargo on munitions.

One of the delegates declared that trains, run by troops in Ireland, would be derailed, which would mean war. The question was referred to the Trade Union Congress.

Marie Tempest

Announcement has been made of a change in the order in which the three farewell performances by Marie Tempest and her admirable players will be staged. The first night's bill, on Thursday, is to be "The Marriage of Kitty," and the delightful "Duke of Killicrankie" is to be offered on Friday. The closing performance will be the inimitable "Mrs. Dot."

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Attempts To Sell Wife; Sentenced To Two Years In Jail

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As a result hubby and three accomplices, a man and two women, one of them her sister-in-law, were called into court. American Assessor Tenney and Magistrate Kwan heard the case and decided on the fate of the husband. The accomplices they sentenced to nine months imprisonment each and sent the wife to the Door of Hope.

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British Rail Men Reject Compromise

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, June 6.—Mr. J. H. Thomas, General Secretary of the National Union of Railwaymen, announced at a meeting of railwaymen at Battersea today that the London Council of the railwaymen had decided to reject the Wages' Board award.

Mr. Thomas warned the meeting that the only alternative was a national strike, which would be disastrous. The matter will be decided at a conference on July 6.

Referring to the situation in Ireland, Mr. Thomas declared that no one could accuse him of want of sympathy towards Ireland; and yet he would never condone the present systematic murders.

"Not even a labor government," he added, "would tolerate the present state of affairs. Ireland is on the eve of great disaster unless an understanding is achieved."

NO BAIL FOR SUM-LING

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Peking, June 8.—As the Cantonese are taking an interest in Li Sum-ling, the official of the Ministry of Finance, who has been arrested on the charge of divulging official information, the police have declined to allow bail.

Indo-China Urges Currency Reform

(*Reuter's Service*)

Paris, June 5.—The Indo-China section of the French Colonial Union has passed a resolution emphasising the urgent necessity for currency reform in Indo-China.

The resolution states that the interests of the mother country and of Indo-China herself today more than ever demand that the monetary system of the great French colony should be linked up with that of France.

It is accordingly proposed that the present piastre-plain bar of silver should be demonetised and a piastre, corresponding to a fixed number of French francs and backed by the same guarantees as the French bank note, substituted in its place.

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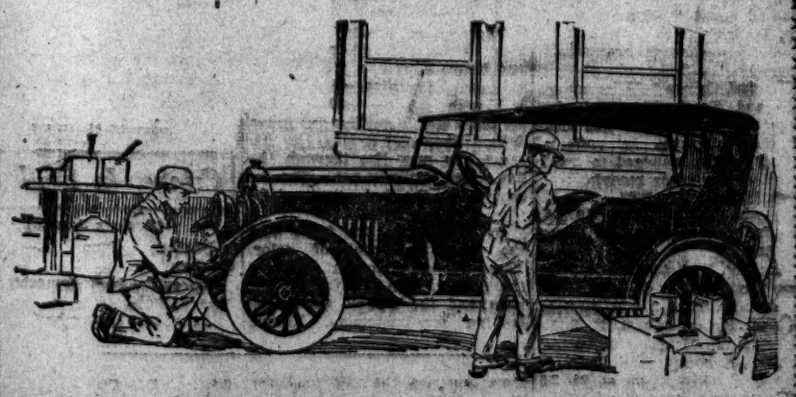

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Russ Clans Make Plea For Rescue From Japan

(Continued from Page 1)

of depriving the toiling masses of their rights won through the revolution, of stopping the process of the great social reconstruction of our country and of defeating the approaching "red vision" of Socialism.

ROUND THE CORNER

"There is, however, a corner in Russia, where the end of our sufferings is not near in sight and the population thereof threatens to assume a form not yet experienced, even in the history of our terrible trials.

"Japan, having begun her intervention in Russia together with the other nations, is not only not following the example of her Allies by withdrawing her troops from the territory of the Far East, but is showing no intention of doing so. On the contrary, she is continuing to increase her forces here by landing military transports daily.

On January 31, 1920, the reactionary rule was overthrown in the Far East and a democratic provisional government was formed, until the reunion with the rest of Russia could take place. The new government met with the solid support not only of all the Socialist parties and elements, but also of the bourgeois groups, who have finally reconciled themselves to the idea that there is no other road to the regeneration for this borderland but by rejoining with Central Soviet Russia.

JAPAN UNMASKED

"The Japanese diplomatic representatives and military authorities here have been pretending that they wish to keep up friendly relations with the new Government.

"However, on the night of April 4, few hours after peaceful assurances were hypocritically made by the official representatives of Japan, the Japanese suddenly attacked our non-suspecting military forces throughout the province, from Vladivostok to Habarovsk.

MADE ARRESTS

"Without any declaration of war, without any warning, they began to shoot up and batter down the army barracks, murderously bayonetting the soldiers who were sleeping there.

"Having disarmed some of the troops and compelling the rest to withdraw to the hills, they began to make arrests among the peaceful population. Many of the unfortunate ones who fell into the clutches of the Japanese Imperialists have had to go through many of the tortures of the Middle Ages.

"Peaceful citizens are being exposed to beatings and insults by Japanese soldiery. The trade-unions and workers' organisations have been crushed. The conditions the Far East is going through at present cannot be compared with those of the most terrible war.

"In a state of war, laws, however severe, still exist: but the population of the Far East is not protected by any laws and is left entirely at the mercy of the Japanese military clique.

"Those who seem undesirable to the Japanese are declared by them to be Bolsheviks or Korean revolutionaries—which is synonymous to being outlawed.

TRY TO EXPLAIN

"The Japanese are trying to explain their atrocities away by maintaining that the Russians were the ones who attacked them first. But this is a lie. Not only every Russian here is convinced of its being so, but every other foreigner as well. They are putting in circulation this falsehood with an attempt to justify before the civilised world their treacherous and barbarous methods.

"Life in the Far East is dying away completely. The railroads have not been functioning for many weeks, because the railwaymen are being terrorised, abused and brutalised by the Japanese soldiers. The workers have quit the factories and gone to the hills. They go there to be away from the horrors that are reigning in the places occupied by the Japanese troops, and prefer death in an unequal fight to the affronts and insults that are awaiting them here.

A WORLD APPEAL

We appeal to you, workers of the world! You have assisted us before in our struggles with the international intervention and reaction. You must help us to end our revolutionary fight victoriously.

"Japan has sent her troops to Siberia together with the other interventionists. The governments of all those countries that have participated in the intervention bear responsibility for the horrors that we are enduring here at the hands of Japan.

"Demand of your governments to energetically interfere and compel Japan to withdraw her troops, thus sparing the population of the Far East the terrors of the Middle Ages.

Workers of all countries! Now, when the Japanese militarists have practically seized a part of the Far East, while your governments keep silent, thus helping Japan to crush the Russian, Korean and Chinese peoples, we appeal to you.

"The Great Russian revolution, whose importance is world-wide, and the millions of victims sacrificed for the conquest of the realm of labor and peace call upon you for help!

TEARING UP RUSSIA

"The ravenous hands of the interventionists are tearing apart revolutionary Russia, and so the Russian workers and peasants demand of you strong and courageous interference.

"We do not want war. We want to live and labor peacefully. We shall build our lives ourselves, as we see fit.

"We aim to reunite with the Russian Socialist Federal Soviet Republic and with you, workers of all countries!

"The fate of the Russian revolution shall reflect upon the fate of the world's democracy!

"We expect an active, forceful response to our fraternal call to the workers of the world!

(Signed) Bureau of all Socialist organisations of the Far East.

1. The Far Eastern District Committee on the Russian Communist Party (Bolsheviki).
2. The Vladivostok Committee of the Russian Social-Democratic Labor Party (Mensheviki).
3. The Maritime Province Committee of the Social Revolutionary Party.
4. The Vladivostok Committee of the Left Socal-Revolutionary Party (Internationalists).
5. The Far Eastern District Committee of the Siberian Union of Social-Revolutionists.
6. The Vladivostok Committee of the Union of Social-Revolutionists (Maximalists).
7. The Joint Union of Anarchists-Communists of Vladivostok.

CABINET WORKERS DECLARE STRIKE

Increased Wages Demanded On Ground Of Higher Cost Of Living

Cabinet makers who have been manufacturing foreign style furniture for three of the leading business houses in Shanghai have called a strike and are demanding higher pay. The strike has not yet become general, according to information received last night, but a number of the skilled workmen have quit the shops.

An increase of 15 cents a day in their wage is demanded by the strikers. This, it is estimated, amounts to a demand for a rise of nearly 20 percent in the pay-rolls.

High cost of rice and other commodities is the reason assigned by the strikers for their action.

Some of the workmen employed by Hall & Holtz, Arts & Crafts and Tai Chong have been affected by the movement.

MORE STRANGE TALES

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, June 7.—The War Office issued the following statement today:

"A diary, recovered from the body of an officer, killed at Nikolaevsk, contains the following record: "A Chinese gun-boat in the port fired on the Japanese garrison with twelve machine-guns, which were too powerful to enable the garrison to make an effective reply!"

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ANFU MEMBERS OPPOSE MR. WEN

20 Call At Presidency; Are Received By Secretary; Situation Muddled

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, June 8.—Twenty Anfu members of Parliament visited the Presidency yesterday and requested an audience with the President. They were received by Wu Chi-sun, the chief secretary.

The object of their visit was to urge the President not to recognise the appointment of Wen Tsung-yao as chief southern delegate and to continue negotiations with Tang Shao-yi.

The Canton administration has advised the Government that at a conference, held on June 6, it was decided to dismiss Tang Shao-yi, substituting Wen Tsung-yao. The communication added that the Southern administration had always declined to recognise Wang I-tang and that, therefore, any arrangement between him and Tang Shao-yi could not be recognised.

The government also received a telegram yesterday from Dr. C. T. Wang, approving the proposal to resume negotiations in Shanghai.

In these circumstances the situation, while offering better peace prospects on the whole, is considered in official circles as extremely involved and likely to lead to curious developments.

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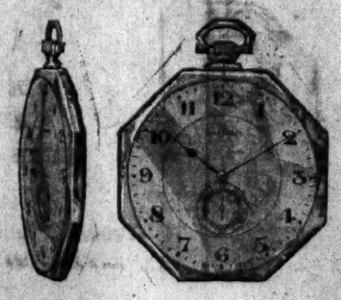

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'His Work In The War Displayed The Very Qualities The Nation Stands In Need Of'

Cambridge, Mass., April 24.—Former Gov. Samuel W. McCall, on invitation of the Harvard Magazine, has told why he considers Herbert Hoover the only Presidential candidate worthy of consideration.

"In the consideration of a man for the Presidency of the United States the prime test is one relating his fitness for the place," he wrote. "In normal or humdrum times the demands of the office are sufficiently great to require a vigilant scrutiny of the merits of one who aspires to hold it. But in the most critical period in the history of the world since the Republic was established the call for merit is supreme. It is the obvious duty of all parties and of men not affiliated with parties to seek for the best man. Not to do that would be as lacking in patriotism as to pass by our greatest General in time of war and to intrust the defense of our country to one who was less competent.

"A striking instance of this submergence of partisanship in the regard for the common weal has just been seen in one of the States of the Union. In Michigan a few days ago we witnessed the spectacle of the same man leading in the primaries of one party and polling a great vote in those of another. In the one party he had scarcely permitted the use of his name; in the other he had forbidden its use altogether. The man who evoked this extraordinary tribute is Herbert C. Hoover.

A SELF-MADE MAN

"I gladly accept your invitation to write something about him and especially about the quality in him which is making such a stirring appeal to the people of the country. Hoover was born in Iowa, and it may be said in passing that we have not yet chosen a President from that vast stretch of territory between the Pacific and the Mississippi. When very young he lost his parents and was soon thrown on his own resources. As many American boys have done, he worked his way through college. Instead of coming East he turned to the new university at Palo Alto. After graduation he began mining with pick and shovel, but his extraordinary talent was soon revealed and he was transferred to the office and, through his merit, was quickly advanced from one position to another. And by the time he was forty he was recognized as the foremost mining engineer in the world. He conducted great enterprises in Australia, China, Africa and Russia, and showed an executive talent in responsible management not at all second to his talent as a technical engineer. It was at a time when American mining engineers came forward and outstripped the engineers of other countries. They were summoned to the most inaccessible places and they delved in the earth for its hidden treasures in almost every land. It was a chapter in history of which Americans are justly proud.

"And at this point the orators attack Hoover. Cicero said in one of his speeches: 'A new crime, O Caesar, has been brought before you; Quintus Legarius has been in Africa.' In the prosecution of his work Hoover has been in London. The enormity of the offence is nearly on a par with its novelty, especially in the patriotic eyes of the Super-American.

With the outbreak of the war Hoover was called to the work for which he was superbly fitted. One who has read the story of the war from day to day knows his achievements by heart. No name is written more brightly on the pages of that history. The record of his relief work in Belgium reads like a romance. And with our country's entrance into the war work was expanded to a stupendous scale. Our allies were approaching the point where famine would have put an end to their power to fight. From our own moderate supply of food our people at home had to be fed, the nations of Europe supplied, and the millions of men in the armies in France satisfied. The work required the nicest adjustment in the individual needs—the wise fixing of prices so as not to reduce production of food and yet not encourage profiteering, and the distribution of the requisite amounts among widely separated places just when and where they were needed. Prices were kept down. Millions of tons of food were moved with the precision of the movements of army corps and with the strategy of great military leaders; the world was fed and the war was won.

"We admire the greatness of the Generals who direct vast armies and win decisive battles. But we must recognise the genius of the man who saves the lives of millions of men and who just as decisively as the General helps us to achieve victory. Unlike the tactics of the General, the work of Hoover in the war displayed the very qualities of civil administration the Nation stands in need of, and of an excellence such as we have probably never seen in any executive office in the country.

VISION AND ABILITY

"We have had need of the practical anatomist during the development of our institutions, and the demand for him has by no means gone by. But the uppermost conditions of our time call for a man of administrative power, gifted with the vision to see things and the ability to do them. It is well to have applied in the complicated thing the Government has come to be the genius and exactions of the engineer. Take, for instance, the price of coal, which has been steadily rising until at last it has reached a point where the article may be classed among the luxuries. We witness without resentment the increase in the wages of the miners by 40 cents a ton, and then see the price put up to the consumer by two or three times the amount of the increase in the wages. Why such a disproportionate increase in prices? There has been a vast deal of political eloquence lavished upon the increase in living cost, but political eloquence nowadays often sheds darkness rather than light upon practical economic questions. Suppose we should at least apply to this question the qualities of the exact seeing man who knows all about the practical elements in the problems, who could soon know precisely the cost of mining and transportation, the cost and need of rehandling and storage, who could see which expense might be lessened and where profits were exorbitant. Such a man as head of the state could speak with an authority that could not be resisted.

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"Hoover saved the country a billion dollars during the war by the manner in which he dealt with sugar, and if the advice which he gave on leaving office had been heeded he would have saved the people nearly another billion during the present year. Beautiful essays and speeches are admirable in their place, but they are apt to come high in government. Why not finally try the experiment of confronting practical difficulties with practical men? We have tried oratory without end upon the high cost of living, and with each swelling period we have seen it beautifully mounting upward. Why not, as practical people, try Hoover? Do not the past four years show us that if there is a man in the world who can reduce the cost of living that man is Hoover? And is not the chance of saving a few billions each year worth taking instead of continuing to put our trust in oratory?

'BUT HE'S NOT A POLITICIAN'

"But they tell us Hoover is not a politician. I am not so sure that that is an objection of the first magnitude. We have had no dearth of politicians in office, but the public service of many of them can be measured by the amount of salary they have drawn from the public treasury, and by an eloquence made up of dry husks and never illuminated by an idea that has been of use to the millions of their countrymen. This will never be made a prosperous and contented country and a happy world by blather and fustian. The people need a change of diet. They have been fed on political chestnuts long enough.

"Hoover's discussions have shown a mastery of political and economic questions and of world problems such as has been surpassed by no other man. The people of America have an opportunity to do a simple thing worthy of their greatness. We shall still not lack for politicians. But let us leaven the mass by a man who has genius, who is fitted to deal with the problems of the hour and who seems predestined for service in this crisis."

AMERICANS PROTEST

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EDWIN S. CUNNINGHAM,
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NOTICE

The undersigned requests that all outstanding accounts against him be presented for payment on or before the 15th inst.

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During my absence from Shanghai Mr. Lloyd Bland will be in charge of this office as acting general manager.

W. B. HAUGHWOUT,
General Manager.

June 5th, 1920.
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NOTICE

S.S. "ICONIUM" from Seattle

An examination of broken and ship-damaged cargo will be held at the Robert Dollar Wharf on Tuesday, June 9th at 9 a.m. when the Marine Surveyors, Messrs. Eisler and Reeves, will be in attendance.

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NOTICE

S.S. "SATSUMA" from New York

An examination of broken and ship-damaged cargo will be held at the China Merchant's Lower Wharf on June 12th at 10 a.m. when the Marine Surveyors, Messrs. Eisler and Reeves will be in attendance.

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NOTICE

S.S. "SHOLDACK" from New York

An examination of broken and ship-damaged cargo will be held at China Merchants Eastern Wharf on June 10th at 9:30 a.m. when the Marine Surveyors, Messrs. Eisler and Reeves will be in attendance.

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Municipal Notification.

No. 2727

Licensing of Brothels.

The date mentioned in Notification No. 2717 as that after which persons conducting a brothel without a licence will be liable to prosecution, is extended to Wednesday, June 30.

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Entry Forms may be obtained upon application to the undersigned.

By order,
Y. S. DAY,
Secretary.

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By kind permission of the Committee, the final round of this event between

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Whangpoo Conservancy Board

Notification No. 99.

Tenders for Various Materials.

Tenders are hereby invited for *Rope, Paints, Cleansing Material, Lubricants, Oil Fuel, Chemicals, Metals, Tools* and *Sundries* for the Board's plant and works to be delivered to the Board's Yard at Chang Wah Pang at the end of this month and for the supply of *Steel* for six months from 1st July to 31st December, 1920, to be delivered as per instructions.

Particulars of requirements and list of materials required can be obtained at the Office of the Whangpoo Conservancy Board, 6 Kiukiang Road.

Tenders should state the manufacturer of each article, must be marked on the cover "*Tender for Material*," be addressed to the Whangpoo Conservancy Board, and must be sent in before noon, June 11th, 1920

The Board does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender, and reserves the right to place the contract for any separate article with any one of the tenderers.

HERBERT CHATLEY,
Acting Engineer-in-Chief.
Shanghai, 5th June, 1920.
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30106 J. 13

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30124 J. 15

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30104 J. 9

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30113 J. 10

YOUNG MAN (24), experienced in bookkeeping and general office routine, seeks position. Good references. Reply to Box 1018, THE CHINA PRESS.
30110 J. 11

AMERICAN, well-recommended, general office experience, knowledge of exports and imports, wants position. Apply to Box 1043, THE CHINA PRESS.
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COMPETENT lady stenographer wants position, shorthand in French and English. Apply to Box 1050, THE CHINA PRESS.
30115 J. 11

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30092 J. 9

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Amusement Advertising will be found on Page 16

Chinese and Foreign Banking Announcements

Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China

Incorporated by Royal Charter 1853.

Capital £2,000,000
Reserve Fund 3,000,000
Reserve Liability of Shareholders £2,000,000

Head Office:
38 BISHOPSGATE, LONDON, E. C.

Court of Directors:
Sir Montagu Cornish Turner, Chairman.
Sir Duncan Carmichael.
T. Cuthbertson, Esq.
Sir Alfred Dent, K.C.M.G.
Sir William Henry Neville Goschen, K.B.E.
The Rt. Hon. Lord George Hamilton, G.C.S.I.
W. Foot Mitchell, Esq.
James Maxwell Grant Prophit, Esq.
Lewis Alexander Wallace, Esq.

Bankers:
The Bank of England.
The London Joint City & Midland Bank Limited.
The London County and Westminister and Parrs Bank, Ltd.
The National Provincial Bank of England, Limited.
The National Bank of Scotland, Limited.

Agencies and Branches:

Amritsar	Ipoh	Rangoon
Bangkok	Karachi	Saigon
Batavia	Klang	Seremban
Bombay	Kobe	Shanghai
Calcutta	Kuala Lumpur	Singapore
Canton	Kuala (F. M. S.)	Sourabaya
Cebu	Madras	Tientsin
Colombo	Manila	Tavoy
Delhi	Medan	(Lower Burma)
Haiphong	Peking	Taiping
Hankow	Penang	New York
Hongkong	Puket	Yokohama
Iloilo		

Shanghai Branch: 18 The Bund

Drafts granted on the above Agencies and Branches and also on the principal Commercial Cities throughout the world. Bills of Exchange bought and received for collection. Travelling Letters of Credit issued and every description of Banking and Exchange business undertaken.

Interest allowed on Current Deposit Accounts, according to arrangement.

Fixed Deposits are received for twelve months and shorter periods at rates to be ascertained on application.

C. J. SCOTT.
Manager.

Banque De L'Indo-Chine

Capital .....Frs. 48,000,000.00
Reserve .....Frs. 50,000,000.00

Succursales et Agences:

Bankok	Hanoi	Saigon
Battambang	Hongkong	Shanghai
Canton	Mengtze	Singapore
Djibouti	Noumea	Tientsin
Doudichery	Peking	Tourane
Haiphong	Papoete	
Hankeou	Pnom-Penh	

Bankers:
In France: Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris; Credit Lyonnais; Banque de Paris et des-Pays-Bas; Credit Industriel et commercial; Societe Generalle.
In London: The Union of London and Smith's Bank, Ltd.; Comptoir National d'Escompte des Paris; Credit Lyonnais.

This Shanghai Agency undertakes all banking operations and exchange business, grants credits on goods and approved securities and receives deposits on current and fixed deposits according to arrangement.

L. ARDAIN,
Manager.

The Exchange Bank of China

SHANGHAI BRANCH
41 Kiangse Road.

Telephone C. 1941.
Telegraphic Address "Knabex."

Capital ..... Yen 10,000,000

Head Office ..... Peking
Registered in the Ministry of Finance.

General Banking Business of Every Description transacted.

Foreign and Domestic Exchange Business a specialty. We issue Demand Drafts, T/T, Letters of Credit, Buying and Selling Specie etc., etc.

Foreign and Domestic Commercial Papers and Bills discounted.

Loans and Advances made on approved Securities.

Interest allowed on current accounts and fixed deposits according to arrangement.

Foreign Agencies at Tokio, Yokohama, Kobe, Osaka, Nagasaki, Moji, Singapore, Bombay, London, New York.

Domestic Agencies at Tientsin Hankow, Kiukiang, Tsingtau Dairen, Changchun, Mukden, Foochow, Amoy, Swatow, Hongkong, Canton.

P. C. KONG.
Manager.

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

Paid-up Capital $15,000,000

Reserve Funds:—
Sterling £1,500,000
Silver $23,000,000

Reserve Liability of Proprietors $15,000,000

Head Office: HONGKONG
Court of Directors:
Hon. Mr. E. V. D. Parr, Chairman.
A. H. Compton, Esq., Deputy Chairman.
G. M. Dodwell, Esq.
G. T. M. Odkins, Esq.
A. S. Gubbay, Esq.
Hon. Mr. P. H. Holyoak, Esq.
Hon. Mr. J. Johnstone.
A. O. Lang, Esq.
W. L. Pattenden, Esq.
J. A. Plummer, Esq.

Chief Manager.
Hongkong—N. J. STABB.

Branches and Agencies:

Amoy	Ipoh	Penang
Bangkok	Johore	Rangoon
Batavia	Kobe	Saigon
Bombay	Kuala Lumpur	S. Francisco
Calcutta	London	Shanghai
Canton	Lyons	Singapore
Colombo	Malacca	Sourabaya
Foochow	Manila	Tientsin
Hankow	Nagasaki	Tsingtao
Harbin	New York	Vladivostock
Iloilo	Peking	Yokohama

London Bankers:
London County Westminster and Parr's Bank, Ltd.

Shanghai Branch: 12, The Bund
Sub-Agency: 9 Broadway.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and on Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.

Local Bills Discounted.

Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Drafts granted on London and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, Africa, China, Japan and America.

G. H. STITT,
Acting Manager.

Russo-Asiatic Bank

	Roubles.
Capital (fully-paid) .	55,000,000
Reserve Fund.....	20,960,000
Capital Contributed by Chinese Government	**Kup-Tls. 8,500,000**
Reserve Fund	1,750,000

Head office: PETROGRAD.
Paris office: 9 Rue Boudreau.
London office: 64 Old Broad Street, E. C. 2.

Bankers:
London: Messrs. Glyn, Mills, Currie & Co.
Paris: Societe Generale pour favoriser le Development du Commerce et de l'Industrie en France. Banque de Paris et des Pays-Bas.
Milan: Credito Italiano.

FAR EASTERN BRANCHES:

Bombay	Hailar	Nicolayewsk
Chanchun	Hankow	O/Amur
(Kwan-chendze)	Harbin	Peking
Chefoo	Hongkong	Shanghai
Dairen	Manchouli	Tientsin
(Dalny)	Newchwang	Vladivostock
		Yokohama

Branches and Agencies in Russia, Siberia and Mongolia

SHANGHAI BRANCH

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels, and Dollars. Terms on application.

Local Bills discounted. Special facilities for Russian Exchange.

Foreign Exchange on the principal cities of the world bought and sold.

Safe Deposit Boxes.

L. JEZIERSKI,
S. JASTRZEMBSKI.
Managers for Branches in Asia

The Bank of China

Specially authorised by Presidential Mandate of 15th April, 1915)

Authorised Capital	$60,000,000.00
Paid-Up Capital	$12,279,900.00
Reserve Fund ...	$1,208,522.66
Special Reserve Fund	$1,808,393.05

HEAD OFFICE: PEKING.
Branches and Agencies:

Peking	Taiyuan	Shanghai
Tientsin	Kaifeng	Hankow
Changchun	Wuhu	Ichang
Antung	Anking	Changsha
Dairen	Hangchow	Nanchang
Moukden	Ningpo	Kiukiang
Newchwang	Nanking	Foochow
Harbin	Chinkiang	Amoy
Kirin	Hsuchow	Canton
Tsinan	Soochow	Hongkong
Chefoo	Wusieh	Swatow
Tsingtao	Yangchow	Chungking

Foreign Correspondents:
London, Paris, New York, San Francisco, Tokio, Osaka, Yokohama.

SHANGHAI BRANCH.
3 HANKOW ROAD.

Loans granted on approved Securities. Local Bills discounted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels or Dollars according to arrangement.

SUNG HAN-CHANG,
Manager.
Shanghai, 15th February, 1919.

Banque Belge Pour L'Etranger

Societe Anonyme
Filiale de la Societe Generale de Belgique
(THE BELGIAN BANK)

Paid-up Capital ..Fr. 50,000,000
Reserves .....Fr. 12,027,956

Head office: BRUSSELS
London Office: 2 Bishopsgate, E.C.2
Paris Office: 2 Place de la Bourse
Branches: Cologne, Bucharest, Alexandria, Tantah, Cairo, Peking and Tientsin.
Agents:
Manchester: 31 Mosley Street

President:
JEAN JADOT
Gouverneur de la Ste Gle de Belgique

Correspondents in all important cities of the world.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts in gold or local currency and fixed deposits according to arrangements.

Every description of banking and exchange business transacted.

L. STRAETMANS,
Manager.

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

Savings Bank Office:
12 The Bund and 9 Broadway.

Deposits of not less than $1, or over $100, will be received at one time.

Not more than $1,200 will be received in one year from any single depositor whose credit balance shall not at any time exceed the sum of $5,000.

Interest at the rate of 3½ per cent per annum will be allowed on the monthly minimum balance. Deposits may be withdrawn on demand. Accounts will be kept either in Mexican Dollars or Taels, at the option of the depositor.

Depositors will be presented with Pass Books in which all transactions will be entered. Pass Books must be presented when paying in or withdrawing money.

Office Hours—10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

The Bank Of Canton, Limited

Incorporated 1912

Capital subscribed: £1,000,000
Capital paid up £850,000

Head Office
No. 6 Des Voeux Road, Hongkong

Shanghai Office
No. 2 Ningpo Road

BRANCHES AND AGENCIES

Canton	Bangkok	S.Francisco
Batavia	Bombay	Colombo
New York	Manila	Samarang
London	Singapore	Calcutta
Honolulu	Rangoon	Yokohama
Sourabaya	Canada, etc.	

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

C. C. WONG,
Act. Manager.

The National Commercial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1907.

Paid-Up Capital ...$1,000,000.00
Reserve Fund 435,461.90

Head office: Shanghai
Peking and Kiangse Roads.
Tels: Managers' Office: Cen. 2650
General Office: Cen. 2613 & 2614

Branches:
Hangchow, Hankow, Peking, Tientsin, Mukden and Harbin.

FOREIGN CORRESPONDENTS
London, New York, San Francisco, Tokio, Yokohama, Kobe and Osaka.

Correspondents at the principal cities throughout China.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels, Dollars, Gold Dollars, Sterling and Yen according to arrangement.

Interest allowed on Deposits at Call both in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement.

Domestic and Foreign Drafts purchased and sold.

Credit granted on approved securities.

Savings accounts—4% per annum.

Every description of banking business transacted.

Modern Safe Deposit Boxes For Rent.

SHEN CHU HSU, Manager.
SHU CHIN MIN, Sub-Manager.
MENG CHIA, T. D. Woo, Acting Sub-Manager.

International Banking Corporation

Capital and Surplus: $10,000,000
Undivided Profits: $500,000

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Harbin	Java
Hongkong	Batavia
Peking	Sourabaya
Shanghai	Panama
Tientsin	Colon
Tsingtau	Panama
Dominican Republic	Philippine Islands
Barahona	Cebu
Puerto Plata	Manila
San Pedro de Macoris	Straits Settlements
Sanchez	Singapore
Santiago	
Santo Domingo	
India	
Bombay	
Calcutta	
Rangoon	

BRANCHES OF
THE NATIONAL CITY BANK OF NEW YORK

Argentina	Italy
Buenos Aires	Genoa
Once (Buenos Aires)	Peru
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Antwerp	Ponce
Brussels	San Juan
Brazil	South Africa
Bahia	Cape Town
Pernambuco	Spain
Porto Alegre	Barcelona
Rio de Janeiro	Madrid
Santos	Trinidad
Sao Paulo	Port of Spain
Chile	Uruguay
Santiago	Montevideo
Valparaiso	Calle Rondean (Montevideo)
Colombia	Venezuela
Barranquilla	Caracas
Bogota	Ciudad Bolivar
Medellin	Maracaibo
Cuba	
Havana and 22 other cities in Cuba	

Commercial and Travellers' Letters of Credit, Bills of Exchange and Cable Transfers bought and sold. Current accounts opened and Fixed Deposits in local and foreign currencies taken at rates that may be ascertained on application to the Bank.

H. C. GULLAND, *Manager.*
1a Kiukiang Road.

The Chekiang Industrial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1908

Capital $1,000,000.00
Reserve Fund $1,425.61
Resources 10,000,000.00

Head Office & Branches;
Hangchow, Shanghai, Haimen, and Lanchi.

Domestic Agencies;
Throughout CHINA at principal Cities.

Foreign Correspondents:
London, New York, Amsterdam, Tokio, Kobe, Yokohama, Osaka, Hakodate, Seoul, and Fusan.

Every description of Banking and Exchange transacted.

Drafts issued and telegraph transfers effected.

Commercial Credits established.

Loans and Credits granted on approved securities.

Interests allowed on Current and Fixed Deposits in Pounds Sterling, Gold Dollars, Guilders, Yen, Taels and Dollars according to arrangements.

Modern Safe Deposit Boxes for rent on application.

Savings Deposits at 4% compound interest.

LI MING, Manager.
SHANGHAI BRANCH
U 39 Peking Road.
Telephone: C. 3145, Mgr's. Office.
Telephone: C. 2147, General Office.
CABLE ADDRESS:
"CHINDUSBANK."

BANK OF COMMUNICATIONS

Specially authorised by Presidental Mandates of April 7th, 1914, and October 31, 1915.

Capital: Kuping Taels 10,000,000

HEAD OFFICE: PEKING
Over 60 Branches and Agencies at principal cities and commercial centers in China.

Agencies abroad: Singapore, Hongkong, Tokyo (Japan).

SHANGHAI BRANCH
14 The Bund.

Interest allowed on both Current and Fixed Deposit Accounts; Credit granted to approved securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Y. M. CHIEN Acting Manager.

Nederlandsche Handel Maatschappij

(NETHERLANDS TRADING SOCIETY)
Established 1824.

Paid-up-Capital: Guilders 80,000,000 (about £6,666,666)
Reserve Funds: Guilders 14,590,545 (about £1,215,879)
Special Reserves: Guilders 17,000,000 (about £1,416,666)

Head Office: AMSTERDAM.
Head Agency: BATAVIA
Agencies in Holland:
THE HAGUE and ROTTERDAM.

Branches:

Bandjermasin	Palembang
Bandoeng	Penang
Cheribon	Pontianak
Djember	Rangoon
Djokjakarta	Semarang
Hongkong	Singapore
Kobe	Soerabaya
Kota-Radja	Soerakarta
Langsa	Tebing-Tinggi
Makassar	Tegal
Medan	Telok Betong
Padang	Tjilatjap
Pekalongan	Weltevreden

London Bankers
National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.

Correspondents at the principal places in Europe, Asia, Australia and North America.

The Bank buys, sells, and receives for collection bills of exchange, issues letters of credit on its branches and correspondents and transacts banking business of every description.

SHANGHAI INTEREST ALLOWED on current tael accounts and fixed deposits, according to arrangement.

J. J. Staargaard,
Acting Agent.

Commercial Bank of China

Head Office: SHANGHAI

	Sh. Tls.
Subscribed Capital ...	5,000,000
Paid-Up Capital	2,500,000

Advances made on approved securities. Bills discounted.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent per annum on daily balance. On Fixed deposits:
For 3 months at 3% per annum.
For 6 months at 4% per annum.
For 12 months at 5% per annum.
On deposits in Dollars according to arrangement.

H. C. MARSHALL,
Chief Manager.

The Mercantile Bank of India, Ltd.

Subscribed Capital .. £1,500,000
Paid up Capital..... 750,000
Reserve Fund..... 750,000

HEAD OFFICE, 15 Gracechurch Street, LONDON, E. C.

London Bankers:
BANK OF ENGLAND
London Joint City and Midland Bank, Ltd.

Branches & Agencies.

Bombay	Howrah	Madras
Calcutta	(Calcutta)	New York
Colombo	Kandy	Penang
Delhi	Karachi	Port Louis (Mauritius)
Galle	Kota Bahru	Rangoon
Hongkonk	(Kelantan)	Shanghai
	Kuala Lumpur	Singapore

Shanghai Branch.
26 The Bund.

EVERY description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Teal Current Accounts at 2 % per annum and Fixed Deposits at rates which may be ascertained on application.

C. CHAMPKIN, Manager.

Banque Industrielle de Chine

Capital authorised Frs. 250,000,000
Capital subscribed „ 150,000,000
Capital paid up .. „ 75,000,000
Reserve ..... „ 30,000,000
One third of the Capital i. e. Frs. 50,000,000 subscribed by THE GOVERNMENT OF THE CHINESE REPUBLIC
Statutes approved by the Government of the Chinese Republic on January 11th, 1913.

President: ANDRE BERTHELOT
General Manager: A. J. PERNOTTE

HEAD OFFICE:
74 RUE SAINT LAZARE, PARIS
BRANCHES:
Marseilles, New York, Peking, Tientsin, Hankow, Shanghai, Vladivostock, Hongkong, Canton Foochow Yunnanfu, Saigon, Haiphong, Swatow and Yokohama.

BANKERS:
In London: The London Joint City & Midland Bank, Ltd., London.
In France: Societe Generale pour favoriser le Development du Commerce & de l'Industrie en France.
In Italy: Banca Commerciale Italiana—Credito Italiano.
In New York: Messrs. Redmond & Co., New York.

Taels, Dollars, Gold Accounts
Interest allowed on current accounts in Gold or local currency and fixed deposits on application.

Every description of Banking and exchange business transacted. Savings accounts in Gold and local currency.

G. LION,
Manager.

ASIA BANKING CORPORATION

CAPITAL $4,000,000 SURPLUS $1,100,000

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Head Office for the Far East: Shanghai
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Other Branch Offices:
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Complete Banking Facilities
Direct Personal Service

Interest on Deposit subject to check, also on time deposits. Commercial and Travellers' Letters of Credit

BILLS OF EXCHANGE
Bought, Sold, Negotiated or Collected
Financing of Shipments: Mail or Cable Payments and Transfers

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Bankers' Trust Company, New York City
Continental & Commercial National Bank, Chicago, Ill.
First National Bank of Portland, Oregon
Guaranty Trust Company of New York
Guardian Savings & Trust Company, Cleveland, Ohio
Mercantile Bank of the Americas, New York City
National Bank of Commerce, Seattle, Washington
National Shawmut Bank, Boston, Mass.

Chung Foo Union Bank

(Established in 1917)
Statutes approved by the Government in 1916
Head Office: Tientsin

Subscribed Capital $2,000,000.00
Paid-Up Capital $1,020,000.00
Reserve Fund ..... $ 54,000.00

Managing Director: T. Clarence Sun
Deputy Managing Director: Nieh Chi-wei

Branches and Agencies in Domestic Cities and Foreign Countries:

Tientsin	Chinkiang	Ichang	Yokohama
Shanghai	Soochow	Changsha	Chicago
Peking	Wusieh	Shasi	Philadelphia
Hankow	Hsuchow	Wuhu	Seattle
Nanking	Ningpo	London	Baltimore
Yangchow	Shaoshing	New York	Cleveland
Hangchow	Canton	San Francisco	Detroit
Pengpu	Hongkong	Boston	Buffalo
Changchun	Changteh	Tokio	Pittsburgh
Antung	Chengchow	Osaka	Montreal
Kiukiang	Tsinkiangpu	Kobe	St. Louis
			Cincinatti

And also in other principal cities in foreign countries.

Shanghai Branch:
8441 Ningpo Road.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits, both in taels and dollars, according to arrangement.

Credits granted on approved securities.

Y. R. Sun, Manger
T. D. Zar, Sub-Manager

PARK-UNION FOREIGN BANKING CORPORATION

Fully Paid Capital and Surplus $2,250,000

HEAD OFFICE, NEW YORK

Owned and controlled By
The National Park Bank, New York — Union Bank of Canada

BRANCHES:
SAN FRANCISCO — SEATTLE
PARIS — TOKYO — YOKOHAMA

SHANGHAI BRANCH: 1 Kiukiang Road. Telephone C. 1174

Interest allowed on both Current and Fixed Deposit Accounts; every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

THE SHANGHAI COMMERCIAL & SAVINGS BANK, LTD.

Head Office: 9 NINGPO ROAD
Hongkew Branch: 15 N. SZECHUEN ROAD

Your saving account with this Bank is worth 100 cents on the dollar all the time plus 4 per cent interest compounded semi-annually.

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Telephones:

Head Office	*Hongkew Branch*
C. 4522 C. 4523	N. 1115
Banking Department	Foreign Department
Savings Department	Trust Department

Branches and agencies in all principal cities.

Large Display Advertisements
intended for the Sunday issue of The China Press should be sent in before **5 p.m. on Friday**

The Bank of East Asia, Ltd.

Authorised Capital $2,000,000
Paid up Capital 2,000,000
Reserve Fund 200,000

Head Office:—2 Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.
Shanghai Branch:—30 The Bund.
London Bankers:—The London Joint Stock, London, City and Midland Bank Ltd.
Agencies and Correspondents in the principal Commercial centres of the world.

Every description of banking and exchange business transacted.
Loans granted on approved securities
Fixed and current deposit accounts opened on terms according to arrangement.

R. CHENG,
Acting—Manager.

Provisions Prices In Local Markets

Prices quoted are in Mexican dollar cents at Hongkew Market compiled on June 8, 1920.

Butcher's Meat		
Beef	per lb.	14-20
Mutton	„	16-20
Pork	„	25-30
Veal	„	25-30
Fish		
Bream	per lb.	none
Cod	„	16-18
Mandarin	„	20-30
Mackerel	„	16-18
Pomfret	„	16-18
Salmon	„	20-24
Samli	„	20-30
Soles	„	16-18
Whitebait	„	none
Game, Poultry And Eggs		
Deer	each	none
Duck	each	60-80
Hare	„	none
Eggs	per doz.	15-17
Fowl	per lb.	24-28
Geese	„	70-90
Partridge	„	none
Pheasant	„	none
Pigeons	„	15-16
Plover	each	none
Quail	„	none
Snipe	„	14-16
Teal	„	none
Turkey	per lb.	50-55
Woodcock	each	none
Wild Duck	„	none
Wild Geese	„	none
Wild Pigeons	„	none
Plover	each	none
Fruit		
Apricots	per lb.	8-10
Apples	„	25-30
Bananas	„	7-8
Cherrier	per lb.	none
Figs	per doz.	none
Grapes	per lb.	none
Lemons	each	5-6
Lichees	per lb.	none
Mangoes	each	15-20
Oranges	per dozen	$1.00-$1.20
Peaches	„	none
Strawberries	„	15-20
Persimmons	„	none
Peeboes	„	8-10
Plums	„	6-8
Pumeloes	each	20-25
Pineapples	„	none
Strawberries	„	10-15
Walnuts	per lb.	none
Vegetables		
Artichokes	each	4-5
Asparagus	per doz.	20-30
Broad Beans	per lb.	2-3
Beetroot	per bunch	2-3
Bamboo Shoots	per lb.	8-10
Cabbage	each	3-5
Carrots	per bunch	3-4
Cauliflower	each	10-15
Celery	per bunch	2-3
Egg Plant	per lb.	none
French Beans	per lb.	8-10
Green Corn	each	none
Leeks	per bunch	2-3
Mushrooms	per lb.	none
Onions	„	2-3
Parsnip	per bunch	2-3
Peas	per lb.	3-4
Potatoes	per pic.	$2.50-$3.00
Spinach	per lb.	2-3
Tomatoes	„	18-20
Turnips	per bunch	1-2
Grain And Flour		
Flour, American	50 lbs.	$4.50
Flour, Australian	„	$4.00
Flour, Shanghai	„	$2.75
Rice	200 lb.	$11.00
Milk		
Foreign dairies	per bottle	20
Chinese dairies	„	17
Fuel		
House Coal	per ton	Tls. 17.50
Stove Coal	„	Tls. 22.00
Firewood	per 50 bundles	$1.00
Laundry		
Per 100 articles		$3.00-$4.00

E. Kilner,
Chief Inspector.

Mail Notices

MAILS CLOSE

For U.S., Canada and Europe:
Per C.P.O.S. s.s. Montcalm June 12

For Europe
Per P. and O. s.s. Mellore, June 12

For Japan
Per N.Y.K. s.s. Kasuga Maru June 10

MAILS DUE

From U.S. and Canada
Per C.P.O.S. s.s. E. of Russia June 18

From Europe
Per P. and O. s.s. Lahore June 16

From Japan
Per N.Y.K. s.s. Ohikuro M. June 9

Financial And Commercial News

BENJAMIN AND POTTS SHARE LIST
Yesterday's Prices

Stock	Closing Quotations
Banks	
H. K. and S. B. ...	$575 B.
Chartered ...	£80
Russo-Asiatic ...	Rs. 250
Marine Insurances	
Canton ...	Tls. 445
North China ...	Tls. 153
Union of Canton .	Hk. 170
Yangtsze ...	$245
Far Eastern Ins. Co., Ltd. ...	Tls. 20 S.
Fire Insurances	
China Fire ...	$188
Hongkong Fire ..	$300 B.
Shipping	
Indo-China Def. ..	$207
Indo-China Pref. .	$18
"Shell" ...	107/6 B.
Shanghai Tug ord.	Tls. 55 S.
Shanghai Tug pref	Tls. 35 B.
Mining	
Kaiping ...	Tls. 18.65
Oriental Cons. ...	17/-
Raub ...	$1
Docks	
Hongkong Dock ..	Tls. 152 B.
Shanghai Dock ...	Tls. 131
New Eng. Works .	Tls. 26 B.
Wharves	
Shanghai Wharf ..	Tls. 150 B.
Hongkong Wharf	Tls. 84 S.
Lands and Hotels	
Anglo-French Land	Tls. 70 B.
China Land ...	Tls. 50
Shanghai Land ...	Tls. 63 B.
Weihaiwei Land .	Tls. 8
S'hai Hotels Ltd. .	Tls. 30 B.
China Realty (ord)	Tls. 68
China Realty (pref)	Tls. 50
Cotton Mills	
E-wo (ord.) Tls.	Tls. 660
E-wo Pref ...	Tls. 75 B.
Laou-kung-mow ..	Tls. 400
Oriental ...	Tls. 260
Shanghai Cotton .	Tls. 350
Kungyik ...	Tls. 63½
Yangtszepoo ...	Tls. 40 B.
Yangtszepoo Pref. .	Tls. 75 B.
Industrials	
Butler Tiles ...	Tls. 25
China Sugar ...	Tls. 237½
Green Island ...	Tls. 7
Langkats ...	Tls. 16½ S.
Major Bros ...	Tls. 5
S'hai Sumatra ...	Tls. 75 B.
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Hall & Holts ...	Tls. 12½
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Anglo-Dutch ...	Tls. 3.15 B.
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Batu Anam 1918 .	Tls. 0.65 B.
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Karan ...	Tls. 8.10
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Pengkalan Durian .	Tls. 1 B.
Permata ...	Tls. 3 B.
Repah ...	Tls. 0.55
Samagaga ...	Tls. 0.60 B.
Seekee ...	Tls. 1½ B.
Semambu ...	Tls. 0.65 B.
Senawang ...	Tls. 4 B.
Shanghai Klebang .	Tls. 0.55
Shanghai Malay ..	Tls. 3
S'hai Malay pref. .	Tls. 10
Shanghai Pahang .	Tls. 1 B.
Sungala ...	Tls. 6½
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Mex. Dollars: Market Rate: 72.7625

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London ...	Demand	5/2¼
India ...	T.T.	248
Paris ...	T.T.	1290
Paris ...	Demand	1293
New York ...	T.T.	100½
New York ...	Demand	100¾
Hongkong ...	T.T.	73
Japan ...	T.T.	51
Batavia ...	T.T.	264½
Singapore ...	T.T.	44½

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Bank's Buying Rates

London ...	Demand	5/4
London ...	4 m/s. Cdts.	5/6
London ...	4 m/s. Docy.	5/6¼
London ...	6 m/s. Cdts.	5/7¼
London ...	6 m/s. Docy.	5/7½
Paris ...	4 m/s.	1440
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New York..	4 m/s. Docy.	111¼

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Padangs Tls. 7.00

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Ziangbes Tls. 5.00 June

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Ziangbes Tls. 4.90 June

Sharebrokers' Association
Transactions

Shanghai, June 8, 1920

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Transactions

Shanghai, June 8, 1920

Nisshi Boseki Kaisha Tls. 7.00 June

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	April	May
Alma ...	24,000	30,000
Amherst ...	3,703	5,941
Anglo-Dutch ...	89,000	113,000
Anglo-Java ...	204,700	232,700
Ayer Tawah ...	29,167	28,341
Batu Anam ...	21,789	22,202
Bukit Toh-Alang.	13,000	19,000
Bute ...	14,500	21,000
Chempedak ...	12,500	12,513
Chemor ...	19,822	24,192
Cheng ...	14,370	15,870
Consolidated ...	49,796	63,863
Dominion ...	33,580	39,001
Gula Kalumpong.	117,000	144,000
Java Consolidated	80,100	86,800
Kamunting ...	23,096	24,881
Kapala ...	10,355	12,302
Kapayang ...	—	—
Karan ...	7,500	10,000
Kota Bahroe ...	36,095	39,869
Kroewoek ...	55,000	60,000
Langkat ...	49,546	58,782
Padang ...	15,393	18,000
Permata ...	5,894	—
Pengkalan ...	10,216	—
Repah ...	13,000	15,000
Samagaga ...	18,000	—
Semambu ...	17,158	19,345
Senawang ...	11,870	13,466
See Kee ...	—	—
Shanghai-Seremban	9,771	11,327
Shanghai-Kelantan	14,000	15,000
Shanghai-Pahang.	17,434	20,016
Shanghai-Klebang	8,675	10,292
Shanghai-Sumatra	41,640	46,000
Sua Manggis ...	—	—
Sungala ...	6,035	8,642
Sungei Duri ...	25,417	27,340
Taiping ...	8,545	—
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MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
No. 2715.

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Amount £750,000

Price of Issue £100 per cent.

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for Bearer Debentures (with coupons attached) in the 6 percent. Sterling Loan of 1920, which is issued on the following terms:—

(1) Debentures to Bearer, with Sterling interest coupons attached, will be issued at £100 percent in denominations of £1,000, £500, £100 and £50.

(2) The Debentures of this issue will bear interest at the rate of 6 percent per annum, payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year by sterling demand draft on London at par, or in silver (local currency) at the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation's Shanghai current demand buying rate on London on date of presentation of the relative coupon. The first payment of interest will be made on December 31, 1920.

(3) Applications, accompanied by payment in full, will be received by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation No. 12 The Bund, on and after May 1, up to and including June 30, 1920, the Council reserving to itself the right of closing the subscription lists on any day previous to June 30, 1920, by Notification in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai.

(4) Payment on application will be accepted in Silver (local currency) at the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation's current selling T.T. rate on London and will bear interest from date of payment, or in Sterling by T.T. or Demand Draft on London Interest on payments made in Sterling will only accrue from the date on which the relative remittances are received by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, London.

The cost of all telegrams involved through payment by Sterling T.T. shall be paid by the applicant.

Payment will be acknowledged by Banker's Receipt pending issue of the Debentures.

In the event of any applicant not being allotted the full amount applied for, the amount over applied for will be repaid in full plus interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from the date payment was received in Shanghai or London to the due date of repayment in Shanghai, as notified to the applicant by special notice from the Council.

(5) The Loan will be redeemed at par on June 30, 1950, but may be redeemed by the Council in whole or in part on June 30, 1930 and/or on any subsequent date or dates on which the half-yearly interest is payable, subject to the Council giving six calendar months' notice in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai. In the event of any partial redemption of the loan the numbers of the Debentures to be redeemed will be decided by drawing. The numbers of such drawn Debentures will be notified in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai not less than three months prior to the date of repayment.

Application forms can be obtained on and after May 1, from the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund or from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
Secretary

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 29, 1920.

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No. 2702

7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1920

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Under the authority of Resolution VII passed at the annual meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent Loan of 1920.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 92½ per cent until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1930.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls 1,000, Tls 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for less amount than Tls. 500 mominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
Secretary.

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 13, 1920.

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THE BANQUE DE L'INDO-CHINE

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WEATHER

The center signalled in the South appears to be a typhoon advancing towards the Loochoos. Breezes from the South quadrant along our coasts, from North to Northeast, with rough weather off Formosa. Fine and hot weather.

DEATH

AT "WHYTELEAFE," No. 111 North Szechuen Road Extension; Florence, the relict of Sidney Spooner, and daughter of the late Augustus White, in her 54th year. Deeply regretted. A Requiem Mass will be said at 8 a.m. today, in the Church of St. Joseph, French Concession.

The funeral will take place at the Bubbling Well Cemetery at 6 p.m. today.

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The Situation in China

NOT in several years has China's domestic situation been as interesting as it is today. There have been so many maneuvers, so many crises, either political or military, that the average foreigner in China has ceased, for the most part, to pay close attention to them. But now we have a crisis that is both political and military. The withdrawal of Wu Pei-fu's Chihli troops northward has left Chang Ching-yao, the Northern Tuchun of Hunan open to attack and the Southwestern forces already have taken seven cities from him and are actually threatening Changsha. Furthermore, Chang seems to have been forced into a position of still greater difficulty by reason of the fact that it is almost impossible for the North to re-enforce him. Non-Anfu troops are between him and any possible succor.

Up North, the situation is more confused. Little Hsu and Tuan Chi-jui would like to plunge the whole country into real civil war by despatching large forces south, and down at Canton, Tsen Chun-hsuan also wants battle. These fierce generals, however, find many difficulties in the way of their patriotic desire to drench the country in blood. President Hsu has summoned the three most important non-Anfu Tuchuns to Peking for consultation and the indications are that they will respond to his call. If they do they will greatly strengthen the old president in his position. These Tuchuns are Li Shun of Kiangsu, Tsao Kun of Chihli (whose able lieutenant, Gen. Wu Pei-fu, is the one who left Chang Ching-yao in the lurch) and Chang Tso-lin of Fengtien.

The third angle to this very interesting crisis has developed in Shanghai, where Tang Shao-yi the Chief Southern Delegate and Gen. Wang Yi-tang, the Chief Northern Delegate, have just met and opened the way to genuine peace negotiations. Following their exchange of calls, Gen. Wang went to Hangchow for a conference with Gen. Lu who is the Tuchun of Chekiang Province. Gen. Lu attracted national attention a few weeks ago when he issued a manifesto declaring that the whole tuchun system was out of date and evil and ought to be abolished. As an evidence of good faith he offered to be the first to quit.

Upon his return from interviewing Gen. Lu, it is expected that Gen. Wang will have a definite and promising peace program to offer the southern delegates. The leaders of the south who are now in Shanghai have definitely dissociated themselves from the southern military administration, and if the Northern statesmen will now meet them half way, there is a chance of getting the Government of China back into the hands of statesmen, where it belongs, and out of the hands of the Peking and Canton militarists who by their intrigues and quarrels for spoils and power, have brought the nation to the brink of ruin.

If China can now unseat the militarists, she will achieve a victory for peace which will gain for her a high moral position throughout the world and give her a distinct advantage vis a vis Japan, which is still shackled to the sword.

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(Continued from Yesterday)

Without attempting here and now to judge the merit or the wisdom of this attitude toward the proposed mission of the International Labor Bureau, it is pertinent and proper to observe that a similar response to a proposal to send from this country such a commission of investigation as I have here outlined would be ridiculous and wholly indefensible, and would justify the conclusion that the Soviet Government was not acting in good faith. Such a reply would be an insistence upon a tacit avowal of an equality which does not, and in the very nature of things cannot, exist.

Russia is in the position of a debtor, or would-be debtor, seeking large credit. She is like a man whose financial difficulties oblige him to borrow large sums of money for which he has only his farm or his factory to offer as security. The banker says: "Very well. I will consider your proposition. I will send over my advisers to see whether they advise me to make the loan. When I have their report I shall be able to reply to you." That is a very ordinary procedure and one that is easily intelligible. But what should we think, and what would the banker think, if the would-be borrower should make rejoinder: "Very well. That arrangement will suit me all right, provided you permit me to send my agents into your bank, to go over your books and make inquiry into your affairs generally." Such a rejoinder might be made if the proposal were to form a partnership, but not by a would-be borrower to his prospective creditor.

NOT A GOVERNMENT BODY

A commission of the kind here described could not well be, and in all probability ought not to be, designated by the Government of the United States. There is not the slightest reason, however, why the Government of the United States should not, in the interest of both Russia and this country, give its full support and co-operation to such an undertaking. It could, for example, very properly lay the proposals before the Soviet Government and endeavor to secure the necessary guaranties. This could be done without giving any recognition to the Soviet Government. The commission itself could be chosen by any responsible body of citizens representing large American interests and large sections of American public opinion. The initiative might very properly be taken by the American Chamber of Commerce. Given a commission selected along the lines indicated, does anybody doubt that, if eventually it found itself able to make a unanimous report, the overwhelming majority of the American people would accept that report as final? On the other hand, does anybody believe that there could be unanimity of opinion in such a committee, except on the basis of complete honestly and fairness? If there should be any important disagreement as to the facts, there would be at least one dissenting minority report. The views of the majority and the dissenting minority or minorities could then be carefully and calmly studied in close juxtaposition.

It is time to have done with the farce of "independent eye-witnesses," spending a few days or a few hours in Moscow or Petrograd, escorted everywhere by Bolshevist officials, seeing only what the Bolsheviki desire them to see, speaking (through Bolshevist interpreters) only to those with whom the Bolsheviki desire them to hold converse, writing obediently what their Bolshevist keepers and mentors tell them to write. If there is poison, exaggeration and distortion in the anti-Bolshevist propaganda of the emigres, so we may be quite sure that in these eye-witness stories there is deceit and suppression of essential truth.

The time has come for America to say quite frankly to the rulers of Russia: "Our economic and political relations with Russia must rest upon complete understanding and knowledge. If you want American credit, you must permit us to investigate conditions for ourselves and in our own way."

WHY BLOCKADE WAS LIFTED

Nobody now defends the blockade of Russia by the Allies. It was a tactical blunder. Except it were to be part of a great and well-considered military effort by the Allies in conjunction with the democratic anti-Bolshevist forces of Russia, it never had any justification. Although as a matter of fact its effects upon Russia have been inconsiderable, it has enabled the Bolsheviki to say to the people of Russia: "The Allies are responsible; the blockade maintained by them is strangling us to death." Throughout the world pro-Bolshevist propaganda took the form of a demand for raising the blockade. Millions of people outside of Russia were thoroughly convinced by the Bolshevist agents that Russia would become prosperous and happy as soon as the blockade was raised. As the removal of the blockade was proposed by Mr. Lloyd George the Bolsheviki admitted that, as every student of the Russian problem knew from the beginning, it would not materially help Russia to recover.

The next move of the Bolsheviki was to encourage the belief that the resumption of trade relations between Russia and the great western nations would solve the problem and make Russia free and prosperous. It was proposed that trade should be begun with the co-operatives, which were alleged to be independent, autonomous and wealthy organisations. It was alleged, also, that these co-operatives were so independent and powerful that goods furnished to them would be sure to reach the civil population through direct channels, and not fall under the control of the Soviet Government, to be used for the maintenance of its army, or be distributed in an unjust and discriminatory manner.

As soon as Mr. Lloyd George tentative accepted this proposal it became evident that the Bolshevist propaganda was not conceived and carried on in good faith. The very men who had been sent to England and this country to represent the co-operatives and make propaganda for the resumption of trade through them, Mr. Berkenheim and his colleagues were repudiated by the Soviet Government as soon as they had succeeded in the task assigned them. It was made clear then, moreover, that the co-operatives were not independent and free; that they were, in fact, wholly subordinate to the central Soviet authority, and that there was not, and in the very nature of things could not be, any sort of guaranty that food and manufactured goods consigned to the co-operatives would be fairly distributed among the civil population and would not go to the army or be distributed in the discriminatory manner characteristic of the Lenin-Trotsky regime.

BUBBLE PRICKED

Now, we hear little about the co-operatives as independent channels for trade intercourse. Another bubble has been pricked; another propagandist device disclosed and rendered useless. But there are still millions of people in the civilised nations outside of Russia who reiterate with absolute sincerity of conviction and unwearying constancy the fallacy that the reconstruction of Russia can be accomplished through the instrumentalities of trade and commerce. They insist that if only England and America would start trading with Russia her restoration would begin and proceed as if by magic.

Even the most elementary knowledge of economics and of Russia's economic position would protect people against such arrant folly and nonsense. The sum total of the trade that is possible to Russia, both in the form of paying gold for manufactured goods and of exchanging exports for imports, is so trivial in comparison with her enormous needs as to be practically infinitesimal and negligible. According to the most reliable information available, the present gold reserve of Russia does not exceed $250,000,000. The platinum reserve amounts to about one-tenth of that.

We have, therefore, a total gold and platinum reserve of about $275,000,000—let us say $300,000,000. Suppose we consider that all of this reserve is available for cash payment, disregarding entirely the fact that if it were so used it would complete the destruction of the currency system and force Russia to adopt exchange by barter, how far would it go? In the three-year period, 1911-1913, the value of Russia's imports averaged $618,000,000 per annum, more than twice the amount of the entire gold and platinum reserve of Russia today. These figures are of themselves sufficient to show the seriousness of Russia's plight, but they are far from telling the whole story; for $300,000,000 today does not represent half the purchasing power possessed by $600,000,000 in 1911-1913. Having regard to the enormous increase in the cost of the manufactured goods themselves in the first instance, and of the cost of their transportation, it is probably quite conservative to say that $300,000,000 in 1920 will not secure the delivery in Russia of very much more machinery and merchandise than $100,000,000 would have done in 1911-1913. In other words, by spending the entire gold and platinum reserve of the country, the Soviet Government can import approximately as much as was imported into Russia in two months in normal times under the old regime. At the same time owing to the breakdown of production, the enormous wastage of war and the almost complete lack of everything, she needs, in order to attain the level of pre-war existence, to import many times as much of practically everything as she imported in 1911-1913. Keeping these facts in mind, let us look a little closer at the figures:

STATE OF TRANSPORTATION

The condition of the Russian railways has been very thoroughly explored. Shortly before the war began in 1914 a special commission reported upon the condition of the railways, with estimates of the amount required to bring the existing lines into working order and to construct new lines. Not long before the revolution of March, 1917, another commission made an extended report, revealing the most alarming conditions and outlining a program of reconstruction. Under Kerensky's regime the problem received still further investigation. We know from Bolshevist sources that there has been no improvement since the end of 1917, but, on the contrary, a very great deterioration.

To restore the existing lines sufficiently to get reasonably good service from them requires an immediate outlay of not less than one billion dollars for rails, bridges, locomotives, cars and equipment. This means that there must be an immediate expenditure of three and a third times the amount of the total gold and platinum reserve of the country. Not only can Russia's economic reconstruction not be begun until this expenditure upon the railways has taken place, but even when that has been done there cannot be much progress without extensive additional railway construction. Moreover, while railway transportation is essential, it is self-evident that Russia must develop her mining and manufacturing industries. This again she cannot do without importing machinery to the value of billions of dollars. Accredited representatives of the Soviet Government in the United States recently announced that they were ready to purchase 2,000 locomotives with an appropriate number of passenger and freight cars, and to pay cash for them out of the gold reserve. Leaving out of account altogether the question of Rumania's title to a very considerable part of that gold, it is quite evident that the purchase of so many locomotives and cars, with their transportation to Russia, would require more than the entire gold and platinum reserve of $300,000,000 or less.

The very fact that men mention large stocks of wheat as one of the principal factors in the trade possibilities of Russia proves them to be either utterly dishonest or utterly ignorant, and in either case untrustworthy and unreliable as guides. There is very little platinum now available for export, according to the most reliable information obtainable. There is some flax, the amount and value of which are not definitely known. There are small quantities of hides and manganese. In short, the sum total of the values of the things now in the possession of the Soviet Government and immediately accessible and ready for export is not sufficient to make an appreciable difference in her general economic position.

If all her exportable goods and her entire reserve of gold and platinum could be exchanged tomorrow for their full value in goods chosen by the Soviet authorities themselves, there would still be famine in Russia, and she would still be economically helpless. Incidentally, once the fact were known that there was no longer a metal reserve, that the gold and platinum reserve had been spent in its entirety, there would be a disastrous increase of internal difficulties; hoarding, speculation and profiteering, now so common, would become universal.

THE BASIC FACTS

These are basic facts which it is worse than folly to ignore. They are not matters of speculation or theory. The sources of information are well-known and open and accessible to all. The number of locomotives and freight and passenger cars to be purchased for a given sum of money, at a given time, and delivered in Russia, is a fact wholly independent of anybody's opinion of Karl Marx's theory of value or the significance of Trotsky's military genuis.

Russia can only be helped effectively if and in so far as she can be supplied with machinery, locomotives, material and equipment to set going her transportation system and agricultural and industrial production upon a larger scale than she has ever known. She needs billions of dollars' worth of such things, and until they are provided there is no possibility of her recovery. Obviously, if she is to obtain them at all she can only do so on a credit basis. Her problem is not one to be solved by either philanthropy or pushcart peddling. It is a problem which can only be solved by organised capital, by large investors. That is the brutal logic of the situation of Russian Socialist Federative Soviet republic!

When we have reached this stage of our discussion we are at once brought face to face with some very serious difficulties. They are inescapable, however, and must be dealt with somehow; it is quite useless, therefore, to try to dodge them. A considerable portion of the Russian railway system belonged to private companies who, until the roads were confiscated by the Bolsheviki, paid the State a percentage of their profits. In 1915, for example, the State received from this source 34,000,000 rubles. Much of the stock in these companies was held by foreign investors. Very well, if American capital is furnished for the reconstruction of these railway lines are the investors to be secured by some sort of control of the lines and of their earnings? In that case, what of the original investors, owners of the stock? It is quite possible that loans by the British and American Governments may be found necessary. In that case, will they tolerate the robbery of their nationals by confiscation, or will they demand restitution as a sine qua non?

With the top-lofty, hoity-toity air and manners of shoe-string financiers and "sure thing" promoters, the Bolsheviki and their publicity agents assure us that as a basis for credit there are immensely valuable mining, lumbering and other concessions. Quite so. But once more the question arises: If American capital is to be advanced for the installation of machinery in Russian mines and their development, and ownership or part ownership of the mines for a period of years is offered as security, what will be the relation of the American creditor and security holder to the American investor who holds part of the original stock and whose interests were confiscated by the Bolsheviki? I do not speculate here upon the legal aspects of the problem; that can be left to the lawyers. But I ask myself whether it is likely that when they actually get to work on the problem, as they are bound to do sooner or later, our big capitalists are going to manifest an entire absence of class-consciousness and ignore the rights of those whom they at least—not being Communists—must regard as the rightful and lawful owners.

There is another element in the problem, a menace to the future of Russia, against which she is utterly powerless to protect herself, and against which she ought to be protected so far as possible. At present Russia's position is like that of the heavily indebted man facing disgrace, imprisonment and ruin unless he can obtain money, who is at the mercy of the unscrupulous money lender. Investors, financiers, speculators, traders, middlemen and manufacturers of all the leading countries will, unless some friendly action is taken to prevent it, take advantage of her desperate situation, precisely as an unscrupulous money lender takes advantage of the desperate plight of his victim to make extortionate profits. Certainly we ought not to permit this fresh crime to be committed against one of the best friends we have among all the nations of the world. It is unthinkable that the American people, once made aware of the facts, will not desire to protect Russia if they can, and in so far as they can, against this new peril.

It is no part of my purpose to magnify the seriousness or the extreme difficulty of the problem of Russia's regeneration and reconstruction. It is necessary, however, to face realities. Certainly, I am no pessimist: I believe that Russia's quick restoration can be made possible by the United States. In a memorandum which I addressed to the President of the United States some time ago I wrote:

"It is possible that a national organisation, somewhat similar in character to the War Industries Board or the United States Grain Corporation, could be created to organise American-Russian trade through the reconstruction period. Such an American-Russian commerce board, appointed by the President, could be given adequate initial capital by means of (a) Government loans, (b) private investment loans, (c) Russian bond issues. This trading organisation could purchase all supplies for Russia available in this country, and, on the other hand, sell in the market whatever Russia has to export to this country. It could receive and hold all concessions and other securities Russia has to offer as the basis for credits.

"This would absolve the American manufacturer and trader from the necessity, otherwise imperative, of gambling in all trade relations with Russia, and of having to demand extortionate prices, which always accompany poorly secured credit. The transactions between the manufacturer and the trading organisation acting as Russia's agent and trustee would be on a cash basis. Russia would thus be protected against a vicious form of exploitation which otherwise seems inevitable. Finally, having no selfish motives, not being itself a profit-seeking enterprise, the trading corporation would, be, in fact, a friendly trustee, holding the economic concessions, revenues and other securities pledged by Russia to sustain her credit, it would hold them in trust for her, to be redeemed by help from time to time, as quickly as possible, out of her surplus production. Thus in a comparatively short time, Russia would be wholly free from foreign economic bondage."

The wisdom of the suggestion that such a body be appointed by the President is open to serious questioning. I am not unaware of the disadvantages of Governmental connection with an enterprise of this character, and would, for several reasons, prefer that it be independent and free from that connection, if possible. It is to my mind very doubtful, however, whether Government loans to Russia can be dispensed with. If that is found practicable there is no good reason why the creation of such a national organisation for trading with Russia upon the most helpful and favorable terms possible should not be left to the initiative and enterprise of private individuals.

The adoption of such a policy would have a salutary effect in Russia. At the same time it would exert a wholesome influence upon British and French policy. It would be a notable demonstration of American friendship for the Russian people and would go far toward retrieving our lost prestige among the nations.

Correspondence

COOLIE PROFITEERS

Editor, THE CHINA PRESS

Sir: Will you please give publication of the following case in your valuable columns:

On the 6th of June, 1920, about 7:35 a.m. I happened to book two packages for my old mother who was going to Hangchow, at the station of Shanghai South. Two copper cents for each package were demanded by the coolie, which surprised me greatly, for I used to pay one copper cent for each, according to the regulation.

But the coolie assured me that they are not paid by the railway administration, and solely depended on collecting the extra copper cent for their living. Of course I paid him two copper cents only for my two packages, as the regulation allows him to collect. No sooner did I get my acknowledgment of receipt than I stood aside watching, when the coolie in spite of protest, taking the advantage of the ignorance of the people, was collecting two copper cents from every traveler for each package. The Chinese clerk, who sat by the desk and is supposed to be educated, never uttered a word.

Being a well-wisher, if not a patriot, of my own country, request that the traffic manager should stop this practice by heavily punishing the corrupt Chinese, when it could be easily proved, if some foreigners who are unknown to the railway workers were sent there. For it should be borne in mind by people who are familiar with Chinese affairs that the ordinary Chinese do not have the usual courage to refuse to pay this extra copper cent for fear of trouble.

Now is the time to educate our public servants with honesty, if China is to be saved. And it is the duty of the citizen to take interest in our national affairs. Shanghai-Hangchow-Railway, though it is one of our governmental railways, is under British administration at present. Then why can't the British authority put it right? Thanking you for the courtesy, I am,

Yours, etc.
S. K. Ho.

Shanghai, June 8, 1920.

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"These children have been placed under my care by their existing parents and agreements exist both verbal and in writing that they consider me a fit and proper person to have charge of their welfare. Let those who carelessly think otherwise refrain for their own good from disregarding this injunction. Dated Canton, April 15, 1920."

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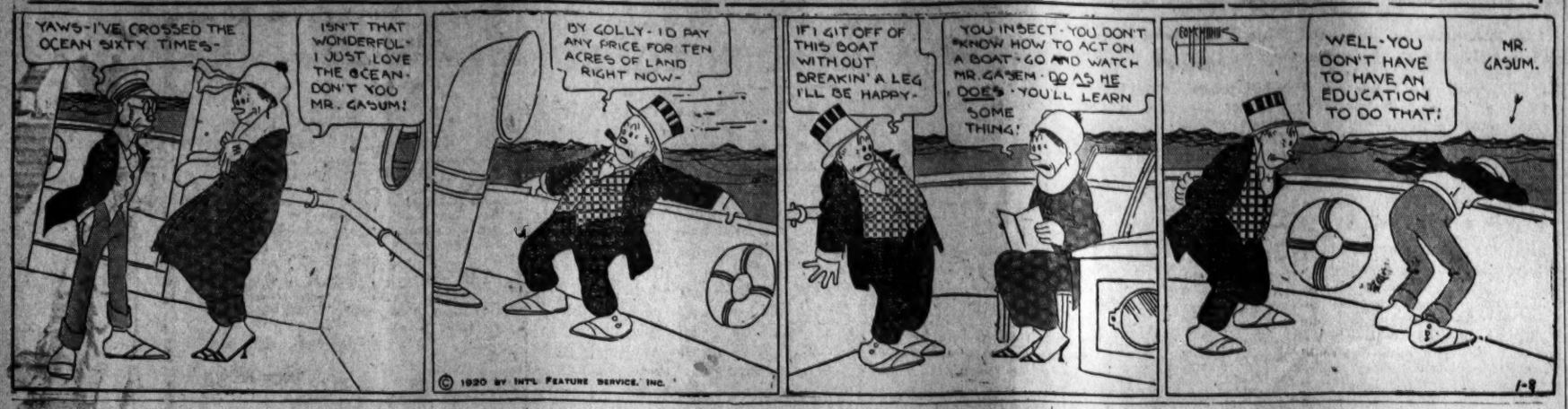

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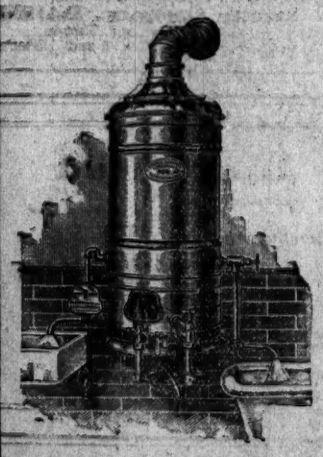

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Books And Other Things

By ROBERT C. BENCHLEY

(*New York World*)

In "The Book of the Damned," issued some time ago by Boni & Liveright, Charles Fort went to great pains to collect all the data available in the world about odd things which had dropped from the skies at one time or another. Thousands and thousands of cases were cited in detail, describing chunks of meteors and barrelfuls of red rain which had landed on the earth from some mysterious source. It was a prodigious piece of compilation and incontrovertibly proved some point which Mr. Fort was making—I forget now just what it was.

An equal amount of work has been put by Dr. Courtenay Dunn into a book called "The Natural History of the Child" (John Lane). Dr. Dunn has brought together everything that ever was recorded or said about children, beginning with Cain and Abel, and with genial side comments of his own has made it into a book of Fascinating Facts for Father. He gets so interested in dispensing odds and ends of information that at times he forgets all about the children and confides in the reader to the extent of telling him that in Edward III.'s reign herrings cost nearly a penny apiece during Lent, or that a strong link in the chain of one universal religion is found in India, where the incarnate deity, Chrishna in the arms of Devaki, is black with woolly hair.

Some idea of the scope of Dr. Dunn's work may be had by noting that on one page alone of "The Natural History of the Child" one can glean the following information:

The first modern kilt and plaid in the British Army is said to have been manufactured by Gen. Wolfe's regimental tailors. They were possibly copied from those of Thomas Rawlinson, who, it is affirmed, introduced the short kilt into Scotland in 1728.

In Wesley's time all the male population over three years of age wore cocked hats. Wesley said, "I don't like my preachers to wear round hats; they look too buckish."

Until Elizabeth's reign schoolboys wore neither caps nor hats.

Hats were abolished at the Bluecoat School about 1865.

In early times perforated teeth and bones probably took the place of the button of today.

You can see what you might get out of a thorough reading of "The Natural History of the Child." The title is the only thing that is not accounted for in its pages.

There is, however, a great deal of useful data concerning children scattered throughout the general information. For instance, on page 50 it says that in Greece, China and Japan a tray containing an egg, money, pen, tools, &c., is placed before the infant and whichever he first touches is an indication of his future career. This seemed a plausible theory, so it was tried out at my home only this morning. (An old blue poker chip had, unfortunately, to be substituted for the piece of money). The candidate on whom the trick was being tried has just seen his eighth calendar month and is beginning to show his age. No sooner were the specified articles placed on the tray of his high chair than he swept them all to the floor at once with a single impartial movement of the arm, thereby proving either nothing at all or that he is going to take a shot at every line of work which comes his way, just like his dear father.

It says in the book that it is bad luck if the baby touches an egg, although "several opinions have been expressed at one time or another of the custom of presenting or offering a baby an egg—probably it is to wish the child a long life." There would seem to be only one opinion possible about offering a child an egg. There is no good reason to suppose that an egg would not go the same way that the celluloid ring, the imitation ivory glove-stretcher and the rubber Holstein go every eight seconds—over the side of the tray. At any rate, one wouldn't have constantly to keep picking up the egg.

Interesting statistics are given about the early age at which some children have attained greatness. Did you know, for instance, that—

Pope Leo X., Giovanni di Medici, received his hat when only twelve years of age:

Ferdinand of Austria, son of Philip III. of Spain, was only ten at the time of his promotion:

Alexander Peretti, nephew of Sixtus V., was fourteen years old, and Maurice of Savory (Paul V.) the same age, when they became Cardinals:

The never-to-be forgotten Judge Jeffreys was only fifteen years of age in 1663 when he entered the Middle Temple?

I myself was only thirteen years old when I was elected (by a unanimous vote in which I participated) Sergeant at Arms of the South End Debating Club of Worcester, Mass., in which capacity I was empowered to eject unruly members from the club-room, provided that they were younger and smaller than I was.

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Cat's Whiskers Aid Its Eyes

Why does a cat have whiskers? asks the Popular Science Monthly. This question comes under the larger one—what is the function of eye appendages? Mr. P. F. Swindle has investigated this subject very thoroughly, and he has formed some startling conclusions, which he reports in the American Journal of Psychology.

Your First Reader told you, in simple words and large type, that pussy's whiskers, wide as his body, were there to warn him of the sized hole he could crawl through, but that reason alone did not suit psychologists, and they have recently proved that whiskers aid the cat's eye.

Most animals have eye appendages that seem to obstruct their vision. And many of those that haven't any use substitutes—the snake, for instance continually thrusts out its tongue But, according to Mr. Swindle's investigations, these obstructing appendages really aid the eye When an animal watches its prey or stares at a branch that it intends to land on it wiggles its whiskers constantly and thereby rests its eyes. Thus, instead o becoming blurred in time, the object it watches is always sharply defined.

Mr. Swindle experimented with a tomcat, watching him first with his whiskers on, and then watching him after the whiskers had been shaved off. Tommy soon changed from a fat, well fed cat to a thin, hungry one.

Jewellers' Floors Yield Much Gold

The time honored gold miner's term for gold ore, or auriferous gravel in placer diggings, is "pay dirt." This desirable material is found not only in the Golden West, but knowing jewelry manufacturers "strike it rich" right here in Manhattan. Maiden Lane district gold mining prospects are in jewelry factory floors, which yield platinum, gold and silver.

These metals are also extracted from dentists' refuse and from the sweepings of gold beaters, bookbinders, pottery decorators, picture frame and mirror manufacturers.

Few manufacturing firms melt their own sweeps. In the '70's none of the manufacturers thought of covering their shop floors with either tar felting or linoleum, and the floors were of pine wood, with open cracks between the boards. When a manufacturer moved he requisitioned a refiner to superintend the ripping up of the floors, and these sometimes yielded many thousands of dollars.

Julius Wodiska, the jewel expert, relates an experience of his own. From 1879 to 1885 he had a factory at No. 64 Fulton Street, over the store of an exterminator of rats and other vermin, who owned the building. In the summer of 1884 a shrewd gold refiner, who knew the large amount of precious metals handled in Mr. Wodiska's place, told the landlord that any time the jeweller moved, he, the refiner, would pay the rat catching landlord $300 for the privilege of taking up and relaying the floor of the jewelry factory. The landlord notified Wodiska that on the 1st of the coming May his rent would be doubled. Wodiska refused to pay and said he would move The landlord was more than pleased. But Mr. Wodiska moved on April 1 and during that month he had the floor carefully torn up and every square inch of it and of the space below it scraped In vain the landlord protested and threatened a lawsuit. Before his lease expired Mr. Wodiska had replaced the old floor, and he was quite astonished at the large amount of gold his refiner returned to him after the scrapings and dirt had been put through a furnace

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Goslington's Philosophy

This morning I met walking along the street a man who was laughing: not at something he saw, but just laughing to himself at something he had in his mind at a happy thought. His face was inclined downward a little and he had slowed down a little in his gait, as he had become absorbed in what he was thinking about; but now, as he passed the peak of this enjoyment, he lifted his head again to its usual level and strode on again at his usual gait; his face, however, still smiling.

Fortunate is the man that has in his heart a spring that bubbles happy thoughts.

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Every time I give the brush boy in my barber shop a nickel I feel ashamed, for myself and for him.

For him, because he does his work in a careless, inefficient manner; for myself, because I continue to pay for such service. And he's a nice boy at that; cheerful, well meaning, polite, but he simply doesn't know that he isn't living up to his privileges, that he isn't doing the best he could.

I don't know what I can do about it—nothing, I suppose. Having started giving, I must keep on. I would like to tell him that the one and only way for anybody, man or boy, to get on in the world is to do his work, whatever it may be, to the very best of his ability; but this is something that I can't pluck up the courage to do.

THE CHINA PRESS MAIL SCHEDULE

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 9, 1920

Date and Destination	Per	Chi.	Br.	USA	Rus.	Jap.	Reg
TODAY							
Weihaiwei and Chefoo	Kingaing	14.00	..	..	..	..	13.30
Amoy, H'kong & C'ton	Sunning	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Amoy and Hongkong	do	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Vladivostok & Siberia	Via P. & H.	17.00	..	..	..	..	17.00
River Ports	Train & Str.	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
W'wei, C'foo and T'sin	Kingaing	..	14.00	..	..	..	..
Chefoo	Hainning	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Chefoo	Hsinkong	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Wenchow	Haean	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Japan Ports	Simkirsk	14.00	..	..	..	..	12.00
Nagasaki and Vladivostok	do	..	14.00	..	..	..	13.30
Hankow	Wuchang	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
V'stok and Siberia via Pukow & Harbin (Daily expect Sunday)	Train			..	17.00	..	17.00
Ningpo	Hsin Peking	..	15.00	..	..	..	
Tientsin	Train	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Hankow	Train	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Vladivostok	Train	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
TOMORROW							
River Ports	Train & Str.	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Japan Ports	Kasuga Maru	19.00	..	..	..	..	12.30
Vladivostok and Siberia	Via P. & H.	17.00	..	..	..	..	17.00
Yochow	Hsinchi	11.00	..	..	..	..	10.00
Japan Ports	Kasuga Maru	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Friday, June 11							
Swatow, H'kong, C'ton	Chenan	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Swatow and Hongkong	do	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
U.S.A. via Seattle	†Edmore	17.00	..	..	..	..	16.00
Y'saki, Kobe, Y'hama, Canada, U.S.A. & Europe via Canada	Chikugo M.	..	17.00	..	..	..	17.00
River Ports	Train & Str.	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Saturday, June 12							
H'kong, S. Ports, Straits Ceylon, India & Europe Via Suez	Nellore	..	17.00	..	..	..	17.00
Weihaiwei and Chefoo	Fengtien	9.00	..	..	..	..	8.30
W'wei, C'foo, and T'sin	do	..	9.00	..	..	..	..
Moji, Canada, U.S.A. & Europe via Canada	Monteagle	..	12.00	..	..	..	12.00
H'kong, Straits, India and E'pe, via Suez	Havre Maru	15.30	..	..	..	..	15.00
Japan, Canada, U.S.A. & Europe	Monteagle	12.00	..	..	..	..	11.30
Monday, June 14							
Hongkong	Suiyang	..	17.00	..	..	..	..

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Departures

Date	For	Ship's Name	Flag	Agents
June 7 —	Ningpo	Meian	Am.	Socony
June 8 —	Hankow, etc.	Kiangwah	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co
June 8 —	Hankow, etc.	Luenho	Br.	J. M. & Co.
June 8 —	Hankow, etc.	Poyang	Br.	B. & S.
June 8 —	Pukow	Suiyang	Br.	B. & S.
June 8 —	Hongkong, Canton	Ichang	Br.	B. & S.
June 8 —	Wenchow	Kwangchi	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co
June 8 —	Cruise	Liuhsing	Chi.	Customs
June 8 —	Chiuwangtao	Satsuki Maru	Jap.	K.M.A.
June 8 —	Japan	Awa Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
June 8 —	Tientsin, etc.	Shuntien	Br.	B. & S.
June 8 —	S. H'kong, C'ton	Hangsang	Br.	J.M. & Co.
June 8 —	Manila	Schodack	Am.	Adl Line
June 8 —	Ningpo	Kiangteen	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.

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HANKOW & PORTS.—The Co.'s Str. **Tachang Maru**, Capt. T. Yoshida, will be despatched from N.K.K. Pootung Wharf on **Wednesday, June 9**, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight and Passage apply to **THE NISSHIN KISEN KAISHA.** No. 16, Canton Road.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Wuchang**, Captain Pickard, will leave on **Wednesday, June 9**, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents Tel. No. 77.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. **Wosang**, 1,783 Tons, Captain James, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on **Wednesday, June 9**, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd.**, General Managers. Tel. C. 241. Extension to Freight and Passage Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Co.'s Str. **Siangyang Maru**, Capt. J. A. Scott, will be despatched from N.K.K. Pootung Wharf on **Thursday, June 10**, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight and Passage apply to **THE NISSHIN KISEN KAISHA.** No. 16, Canton Road.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. **Kutwo**, 2,664 Tons, Captain Forrster, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on **Thursday, June 10**, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd.**, General Managers. Tel. C. 241. Extension to Freight and Passage Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. **Tuckwo**, 3,770 Tons, Capt. Campbell, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on **Friday, June 11**, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **JARDINE MATHESON & Co., Ltd.**, General Managers. Tel. C. 241. Extension to Freight and Passenger Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Ngasking**, Capt. J. Meathrel, will leave from the French Bund on **Friday, June 11**, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Co.'s Str. **Tafoo Maru**, Catpain H. Asahi, will be despatched from N. K. K. Pooting Wharf on **Friday, June 11**, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight and Passage apply to **THE NISSHIN KISEN KAISA.** No. 16, Canton Road.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Co.'s Str. **Suiyang Maru**, Capt. H. Yamashita, will be despatched from the N.K.K. Pootung Wharf on **Saturday, June 12**, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight and Passage apply to **THE NISSHIN KISEN KAISHA.** No. 16, Canton Road.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Woosung**, Captain Newcomb, will leave from the French Bund on **Saturday, June 12**, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Shengking**, Capt. K. E. Tuebben, will leave from the French Bund on **Monday, June 14**, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

PUKOW.—The China Navigation Co.'s Str. **Shantung**, Captain Monkman, will leave from the Watung Wharf on **Tuesday, June 15**, at daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

For Southern Ports

AMOY, HONGKONG & CANTON.—The Str. **Hsintah**, Capt. J. Glen, will leave on Wednesday morning. For Freight or Passage apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

NINGPO.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Hsin Peking**, Captain A. E. Edwardes, will leave on **Wednesday, June 9**, at 4:30 p.m. For Freight or Passage apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

NINGPO.—The Str. **Kiangteen**, Captain D. D. Ross, will leave on Thursday at 2:30 p.m. For Freight or Passage apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

FOOCHOW.—The Str. **Hsinchi**, Capt. E. Hansen will leave on Thursday noon. (Fare $30 Single $48 return). For Freight or Passage apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

WENCHOW.—The Str. **Hacan**, Capt. F. H. Wallace, will leave on Thursday morning. For Freight or Passage apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

AMOY, HONGKONG & CANTON.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Sunning**, Captain W. Benson, will leave from the French Bund direct for the above ports on **Thursday, June 10**, at daylight. For Freight or Passage apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

TAKAO (FORMOSA) Via FOOCHOW & KEELUNG.—The Str. **Keelung Maru**, Capt. N. Kamisawa will be despatched from the Co.'s Y'poo wharf on **June 10**, at ——— For Freight and Passage please apply to **THE OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA**, No. 4, The Bund. Tel. Central No. 4233, 4234 and 4235.

SWATOW, HONGKONG AND CANTON.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Chenan**, Capt. P. R. Purslow, will leave from the French Bund on **Saturday, June 12**, at daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

HONGKONG & CANTON.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Suiyang**, Captain J. Gibbs, will sail from the French Bund direct for the above ports on **Tuesday, June 15**, at daylight. For Freight or Passage apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE** Agents. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel No. 401.

HONGKONG.—The Str. **Arabia Maru**, Captain T. Saito, will be despatched from the Co.'s Yangtszepoo wharf on **June 18**. For Freight and Passage, please apply to **THE OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA** No. 4, The Bund. Tel. Central No. 4234 & 4235.

For Northern Ports

CHEFOO, NEWCHWANG AND TIENTSIN.—The Str. **Hsinkong**, Capt. A. B. Baines, will leave on **Thursday** morning. For Freight or Passage apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

CHEFOO & TIENTSIN.—The Str. **Hsinming**, Capt. H. Mackinon will leave on **Thursday** morning, For Freight or Passage apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

NEWCHWANG.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Pakhoi**, Captain R. Stephen, will leave on **Thursday, June 10**, at daylight. For Freight or Passage apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents. Tel. No. 77.

TIENTSIN direct.—The Kailan Mining Administration, will despatch the s.s. **Kwangping**, on **June 11**. For Freight or Passage, apply to Agent, 1 Jinkee Road, Tel. Central 1114.

NEWCHWANG.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Kiukiang**, Captain J. W. Harding, will leave on **Saturday, June 12**, at daylight. For Freight or Passage apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE** Agents. Tel. No. 77.

WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO AND TIENTSIN.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Fengtien** Captain McIntosh, will leave from the French Bund on Saturday, June 12, at 10 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

TSINGTAO.—The China Navigation Co.'s Str. **Tean**, Captain Wm. McDonald, will leave from the Watung Wharf on Saturday, June 12, at daylight for Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

TIENTSIN & DAIREN Via TSINGTAU.—The Str. **Kohoku Maru**, Captain M. Tsubaki, will be despatched from the Co.'s Y'poo wharf on **June 15**. For Freight and Passage, please apply to **THE OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA**, No. 4, The Bund. Tel. No. 4233, 4234 and 4235.

For Foreign Ports

Europe Via Hongkong, Singapore, Colombo, Port said, Marseilles, London, Antwerp Rotterdam and Hamburg.—The Str. **Havre Maru**, Captain ——— will be despatched from Shanghai on or about **June 13** For Freight please apply to **THE OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA**, No. 4, The Bund. Tel. Central No. 4234 and 4235.

NEW YORK, Via Tsingtau, Japan Ports, San Francisco and Panama.—The Steamer **Amazon Maru**, Captain N. Konishi, will be despatched from Shanghai ——— on **July 4**, at ——— For Freight please apply to **OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA**, No. 4, The Bund. Tel. Central No. 4233, 4234 and 4235.

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Future Sailings

FOR AMERICA AND CANADA

Date	Time	Destination	Ship's Name	Flag	Agents
June 9	—	Portland	West Keats	Am.	C. P. Co.
June 9	—	New Orleans	Lancaster	Am.	S. & Dix
June 10	—	San Francisco	Tancred	Am.	Dollar Co.
June 10	—	New York	Wytheville	Am.	Adl. Line
June 12	—	Vancouver	†Mongteagle	Br.	M.M. & Co.
June 13	—	San Francisco	West Himrod	Am.	S. & Dix
June 15	—	Seattle	Stanley	Am.	A. T. Co.
June 17	—	Baltimore	Canibas	Am.	S. & Dix
June 17	—	Vancouver, N. Y.	Bessie Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.
June 19	—	San Francisco	†Ecuador	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co
June 19	—	Seattle	Fushimi Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
June 20	—	San Francisco	Hathaway	Am.	S. & Dix
June 20	—	San Francisco	†Shinyo Maru	Jap.	T. K. K.
June 22	—	Baltimore	West Moreland	Am.	S. & Dix
June 22	—	New York	Toyooka Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
June 22	—	San Francisco	†Nile	Am.	C.M.S.S. Co.
June 25	—	Portland	West Navaria	Am.	C. P. Co.
June 25	—	San Francisco	West Hepburn	Am.	Dollar Co.
June 30	—	New York	Deucalion	Br.	S. & S.
July 4	—	Baltimore v. P'ama	West Hembrie	Am.	S. & Dix.
July 11	—	Seattle, etc.	†Katori Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
July 12	—	Seattle	Maquan	Am.	A. T. Co.
July 13	—	San Francisco	Archer	Am.	P.M.S.N. Co
July 14	—	Seattle	Arcturus	Am.	S. & Dix
July 15	—	Baltimore v. Suez	West Mingo	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co
July 17	—	San Francisco	†Colombia	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co
July 18	—	San Francisco	†Korea Maru	Jap.	T.K.K.
July 20	—	San Francisco	West Catera	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co
July 21	—	San Francisco	West Ira	Am.	Dollar Co.
July 24	—	San Francisco	West Harts	Am.	Dollar Co.
July 24	—	San Francisco	Higho	Am.	Dollar Co.
July 25	—	San Francisco	†China	Am.	C.M.S.S. Co.
Aug. 10	—	Vancouver	Grace Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.
Aug. 14	—	San Francisco	†Venezuela	Am.	P.M.S.S. C
Aug. 15	—	Baltimore v. Suez	Elkridge	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co
Sep. 12	—	Vancouver	M. S. Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.

FOR JAPAN PORTS

June 9	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Omi Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
June 11	—	N'saki, Kobe, Y'hama	Kasuga Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
June 12	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Chikugo Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
June 16	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Kumano Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
June 19	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Yawata Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
June 19	—	N'saki, Kobe, Y'hama	Yamashiro Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
June 22	—	N'saki, Kobe, Y'hama	Kokura Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
June 22	—	Kobe	Iyo Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.

FOR EUROPE INDIA, STRAITS, ETC.

June 9	—	Scandinavia	Siam	Dan.	E.A. Co.
June 12	—	London, Antwerp	Lt. de la Tour	Fr.	M. M. Cie.
June 14	—	London, etc.	†Nellore	Br.	M.M. & Co.
June 14	—	Hamburg, etc.	Tsuruga Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
June 15	—	London	†Karmala	Br.	M.M. & Co.
June 15	—	Amsterdam, H'burg	Batjan	Dut.	H. C. T. Co.
June 17	—	L., A'dam, H'burg	Helenus	Br.	B. & S.
June 21	—	London, etc.	Inaba Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
June 24	—	Liverpool	Euryades	Br.	B. & S.
June 25	—	Marseilles	†Porthos	Fr.	M. M. Cie
July 1	—	L., A'dam, H'burg	Elpenor	Br.	B. & S.
July 5	—	London, etc.	†Kamo Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
July 5	—	Liverpool, etc.	Tokiwa Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
July 5	—	Hamburg, etc.	Tsushima Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
July 7	—	London	†Lahore	Br.	M. M. & Co.
July 8	—	Genoa, M'lles, L'pool	Talthybius	Br.	B. & S.
July 8	—	Havre, Liverpool	Orestes	Br.	B. & S.
July 10	—	Bombay	†Dilwara	Br.	M. M. & Co.
July 11	—	Marseilles	†Amazone	Fr.	M. M. Cie
July 13	—	London	†Devanha	Br.	M.M. & Co.
July 15	—	L., A'dam, A'wtrp	Pyrrhus	Br.	B. & S.
July 22	—	Genoa, Liverpool	Demodocus	Br.	B. & S.
Aug. 5	—	Havre & L'pool	Alcinous	Br.	B. & S.
Aug. 19	—	Liverpool, etc.	Bellerophon	Br.	B. & S.
Sep. 16	—	G. M. & Liverpool	Cyclops	Br.	B. & S.

FOR SOUTHERN PORTS

June 9	4.30	Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Br.	B. & S.
June 9	4.30	Ningpo	Hsin Ningshao	Chi	N.S.S.N. Co.
June 9	—	A. H'kong, Canton	Hsintah	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
June 10	noon	Foochow	Hsinchi		M.S.N. Co
June 10	—	Wenchow	Hacan		M.S.N. Co
June 10	4.00	Ningpo	Kiangteen	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
June 10	D.L.	Amoy, H'kong, C.	Sunning	Br.	B. & S.
June 12	D.L.	S. H'kong, Canton	Chenan	Br.	B. & S.
June 13	D.L.	S. H'kong, Canton	Esang		M. M. & Co
June 15	D.L.	Hongkong, Canton	Suiyang	Br.	B. & S.
June 18	—	Manila, Hongkong	Empress of Russia	Br.	C.P.O.S.
June 21	—	Hongkong	Katori Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
June 26	—	Manila, Hongkong	Colombia	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

June 9	3.00	Vladivostok	Simbirsk	Rus.	R. V. F.
June 9	3.00	W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Kingsing	Br.	J. M. & Co.
June 10	—	C. N'chwang, T'tsin	Hsinkong	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
June 10	—	Chefoo, Tientsin	Hsinming	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
June 10	D.L.	Newchwang	Pakhoi	Br.	B. & S.
June 11	—	Tientsin	Kwangping	Br.	K.M.A.
June 12	6.30*	T'tau & Dairen	Sakaki Maru	Jap.	S. M. R. Co.
June 12	D.L.	Tsingtau	Tean	Br.	B. & S.
June 12	D.L.	Newchwang	Kiukiang	Br.	B. & S.
June 12	10.00*	W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Fengtien	Br.	B. & S.
June 17	—	Vladivostok	Shinyue	Chi.	L.V. Lang

FOR RIVER PORTS

June 9	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tachang Maru	Jap.	N.K.K.
June 9	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangyu	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
June 9	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Wosang	Br.	J.M. & Co.
June 9	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Wuchang	Br.	B. & S.
June 10	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Siangyang Maru	Jap.	N. K. K.
June 10	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Klanghsin	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co
June 10	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kutwo	Br.	J.M. & Co.
June 11	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tuckwo	Br.	J.M. & Co.
June 11	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Ngankin	Br.	B. & S.
June 11	M.N.	Hankow, etc	Tafoo Maru	Jap.	N. K. K.
June 12	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Woosung	Br	B. & S.
June 12	M.N.	Hankow, etc	Suiyang Maru	Jap.	N. K. K.
June 13	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Hsinfung	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co
June 14	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangfoo	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co
June 14	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Hwahlee	Chi.	J.M. & Co.
June 14	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Shengking	Br.	B. & S.
June 14	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Fengyang Maru	Jap.	N.K.K.
June 15	D.L.	Pukow	Shantung	Br.	B. & S.
June 15	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Loongwo	Br.	J.M. & Co.
June 15	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tatung	Br.	B. & S.
June 16	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangyung	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co
June 16	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Chungking	Br.	B. & S.

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* A. M. M.N.—MIDNIGHT D.L.—DAYLIGHT

Information For Mariners

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 9, 1920

High Water at Woosung Bar
(The night tides are higher than the day tides, they are about equal at 4 and 5 o'clock).
Approximate rise, at springs 4 1/4 h; at neaps, 5 h.
fall, at springs 8 1/4 h; at neaps, 7 1/2 h.

A.M. Time	A.M. Range	P.M. Time	P.M. Range
4h. 48m.	6ft. 10in.	5h. 12m.	6ft. 1in.

High Water at Tungsha Lightship
(The night tides are higher than the day tides).
Approximate rise, 5 1/2 h; approximate fall, 7 h.

A.M. H	A.M. M	P.M. H	P.M. M
3	43	4	7

Time of Moonrise, Moonset, Sunrise, Sunset

Moon Rises	Moon Sets	Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Daylight	Dark
11 58 p.m.	11 25 a.m.	4h. 57m.	7h. 0m.	4h. 12m.	7h. 45m.

Mean Barometric Pressure at Shanghai
For June 29.73in 755.1mm.

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S.S. "WUCHANG" ..... sails midnight, June 9th.
S.S. "NGANKIN" ..... sails midnight, June 11th.
S.S. "WOOSUNG" ..... sails midnight, June 12th.

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S.S. "FENGTIEN" ..... sails June 12th, 10 a.m.
S.S. "TUNGCHOW" ..... sails June 15th, at 3 p.m.
S.S. "CHEKIANG" ..... sails June 17th, at 10 a.m.

FOR HONGKONG and CANTON via SWATOW and AMOY.
S.S. "SUNNING" ..... (via Amoy) June 10th.
S.S. "CHENAN" ..... Via Swatow, sails June 12th.
S.S. "SUIYANG" ..... direct, sails June 15th.

Steamers connect at Hongkong with services to the Philippines, Indo-China and Australian Ports, also to Bangkok and Singapore.
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FOR NINGPO.
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FOR SAN FRANCISCO
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S.S. "NILE" (14,000 tons) ..... June 22
S. S. "CHINA" (10,200 tons) * ..... July 25
S.S. "NANKING" (15,000 tons) ..... Aug. 23
*Will not call Yokohama and Honolulu

FOR HONGKONG DIRECT
S.S. "CHINA" ..... July 12
S.S. "NANKING" ..... Aug. 9
S.S. "NILE" ..... Aug. 19

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	Tons		
INABA MARU	12,500	Capt. K. Seo,	June 21
KAMO MARU	16,000	Capt. M. Nakamura,	July 5

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TOKIWA MARU....	16,000	Capt. K. Shibuya,	July 5
AWA MARU	12,500	Capt. S. Hirata,	July 15

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NEW YORK VIA PANAMA.

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SHANGHAI-YOKOHAMA LINE (Via Nagasaki, Moji and Kobe).

KASUGA MARU ...	7,000	Capt. S. Iriye,	June 11
YAMASHIRO MARU	7,000	Capt. K. Yoshikawa,	June 19
KOKURA MARU	5,000	Capt. S. Ito,	June 22

FOR JAPAN.

IYO MARU	12,500	Capt. S. Marazumi,	June 22

SHANGHAI, MOJI, KOBE AND OSAKA LINE (Via Moji).

CHIKUGO MARU	5,500	Capt. T. Kusano,	June 13
KUMANO MARU ...	9,500	Capt. T. Sasaki,	June 16
YAWATA MARU	7,000	Capt. S. Shinohara,	June 19
OMI MARU	7,000	Capt. S. Kishimoto,	June 23

FOR HONGKONG.

KATORI MARU	19,000	Capt. E. Tozawa,	June 21

FOR MANILA AND HONGKONG.

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AKI MARU	12,500	Capt. S. Shibata,	Aug. 18

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STANLEY		June 15
MAQUAN	June 11	July 13
WEST IVAN	July 9	Aug. 10

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Eastern Trader*	June 10	West Himrod*	June 13
Hathaway*	June 10	Hathaway*	June 20
Arcturus†	June 28	Arcturus†	July 14
Colorado Springs*	July 2	(If sufficient inducement offers)	

* San Francisco † Seattle
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Due INWARD		Sailing OUTWARD	
Canibas*	June 15	Canibas*	June 17
West Moreland*	June 20	West Moreland*	June 22
and Fortnightly		and Fortnightly	

* Baltimore † New Orleans

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S.S. "KALYAN" August 6th

FOR BOMBAY via STRAITS AND COLOMBO
DILWARA July 10th

FOR CALCUTTA DIRECT FROM HONGKONG
S.S. "JAPAN" sailing from Hongkong about 14th June
S.S. "MADRAS" July 4th
S.S. "GREGORY APCAR" July 8th

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S.S. "ST. ALBANS" 21st July

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S.S. "Tancred" - - - - - -	June 10th
S.S. "West Hepburn" - - - - -	June 25th
S.S. "West Ira" - - - - - -	July 21st
S.S. "West Harts" - - - - - -	July 24th
S.S. "Higho" - - - - - -	July 24th

SAILINGS FOR VANCOUVER

S.S. "Grace Dollar" - - - - -	Aug. 10th
S.S. "M. S. Dollar" - - - - -	Sept. 12th

SAILINGS FOR NEW YORK

S.S. "Grace Dollar" - - - - -	Aug. 10th
S.S. "M. S. Dollar" - - - - -	Sept. 12th

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Canibas, *Baltimore*	June	15
Chekiang, *Tientsin*	June	11
Chenan, *Tsinglan*	June	10
Chikugo Maru, *Japan*	June	9
Chungking, *Hankow*	June	14
Elpenor, *Liverpool*	June	17
Esang, *Hongkong*	June	10
Fengtien, *Tientsin*	June	8
Fushimi Maru, *Hongkong*	June	17
Hathaway, *S. Francisco*	June	10
Hopsang, *Hongkong*	June	12
Hsinchi, *Foochow*	June	9
Hsinfung, *Hankow*	June	11
Hsin Peking, *Ningpo*	June	9
Hwahlee, *Hankow*	June	12
Kiangfoo, *Hankow*	June	12
Kiangteen, *Ningpo*	June	10
Kasuga Maru, *Japan*	June	9
Kiangwah, *Hankow*	June	15
Kiangyung, *Hankow*	June	14
Kumano Maru, *Japan*	June	13
Kutwo, *Hankow*	June	9
Lahore, *London*	June	18
Loongwo, *Hankow*	June	13
Luenho, *Hankow*	June	16
Monteagle, *Hongkong*	June	12
Nellore, *Japan*	June	11
Ngankin, *Hankow*	June	10
Pakling, *Liverpool*	June	10
Poyang, *Hankow*	June	16
Sakaki Maru, *Dairen*	June	13
Shantung, *Hongkong*	June	12
Shengking, *Hankow*	June	12
Shuntien, *Tientsin*	June	15
Sinkiang, *Hongkong*	June	14
Tatung, *Hankow*	June	13
Tean, *Hongkong*	June	10
Tuckwo, *Hankow*	June	10
Tungchow, *Tientsin*	June	13
Tungwah, *Swatow*	June	9
Woosung, *Hankow*	June	11
Wosang, *Newchwang*	June	8
Yamashiro Maru, *Japan*	June	16
Yawata Maru, *Japan*	June	16
Yusang, *Foochow*	June	11

Passengers Departed

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VESSELS IN HARBOR AND AT WOOSUNG

Date		From	Ships Name	Flag Agents
Dec. 6	—	Chinwangtao	Indigirka	Rus. R.V.F.
Jan. 21	—	Japan	Kitano Maru	Jap. M.B.K.
Mar. 19	—	Japan	Kiyo Maru	Jap. Kaiyosha
Mar. 22	—	———	Chienan	Chi. W. & Co.
Apr. 14	—	.....	Palembang	Br. A.P. Co.
May 8	—	Vladivostok	Simbirsk	Rus. R. V. F.
May 12	—	Japan	Naotetsu Maru	Jap.
May 20	—	Port Wallut	Simferopol	Rus. R.V.F.
May 21	—	Hongkong	Kwangtee	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co
May 24	—	Hongkong	Erivan	Rus. R.V.F.
May 25	—	Hongkong	Kwongsang	Br. J. M. & Co.
May 28	—	Hankow, etc.	Waishing	Br. J. M. & Co.
May 29	—	Chinwangtao	Lt. de la Tour	Fr. M. M. Cie
May 30	—	Japan	Tosa Maru 10	Jap.
May 31	—	Manila	Raritan	Am.
June 2	—	New York	Slavic Prince	Br. S. Tomes & Co.
June 3	—	Foochow	Shingping	Chi. M. & Co.
June 3	—	Chinwangtao	Henrik	Nor. K.M.A.
June 3	—	Liverpool	Helenus	Br. B. & S.
June 4	—	Hankow	Tsangtah 2	Am. C.I. & E.L. Co.
June 4	—	Hongkong	Lowther Castle	Br. S. Tomes & Co.
June 4	—	New York	Satsuma	Am. Adl. Line
June 5	—	San Francisco	Tancred	Am. Dollar Co.
June 5	—	Liverpool	Orestes	Br. B. & S.
June 5	—	Chinwangtao	Shawhaing	Chi. N.S.S.N. Co.
June 5	—	Cruise	Store Nordiske	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co
June 6	—	Hongkong	Haintah	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co
June 6	—	Vladivostok	Penza	Rus. R. V. F.
June 6	—	Hankow, etc.	Suiwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
June 6	—	Hankow, etc.	Hwahta	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
June 6	—	Hankow, etc.	Luenyi	Br. B. & S.
June 6	—	Hankow, etc.	Nanyang Maru	Jap. N. K. K.
June 6	—	Singapore	Bolton Castle	Br. Dod. & Co.
June 6	—	Tientsin	Hankona	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
June 6	—	Japan	Omi Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
June 6	—	Tientsin, etc.	Kingsina	Br. J. M. & Co
June 6	—	Trieste	Persia	Ital. Dod. & Co.
June 7	—	Hongkong	Sunning	Br. B. & S.
June 7	—	Los Angeles	West Hixton	Am. L.A.P.N. Co.
June 7	—	Hankow, etc.	Ningshao	Chi. N.S.S.N. Co.
June 7	—	Hankow, etc.	Kiangyu	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co
June 7	—	Hankow, etc.	Wuchang	Br. B. & S.
June 7	—	Hankow, etc.	Tachang Maru	Jap. N.K.K.
June 7	—	London, etc.	Karmala	Br. M. M. & Co.
June 7	—	San Francisco	Eastern Trader	Ital. S. & Dix.
June 7	—	Wenchow	Hiyan	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
June 7	—	Portland	West Keats	Am. C.P. Co.
June 7	—	Hankow	Tseangtah	Br. C.I.&E.L. Co.
June 8	—	Tientsin	Haimning	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
June 8	—	Foochow	Hsinchi	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co
June 8	—	Hankow, etc.	Kianghsin	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co
June 8	—	Hankow, etc.	Meian	Am. Socony.
June 8	—	Hankow, etc.	Siangyang Maru	Jap. N.K.K.
June 8	—	Japan	Shinzui Maru	Jap. M.B.K.
June 8	—	Hongkong	Wollowra	Rus. R.V.F.

MEN OF WAR IN PORT

Section	Date	Name	Flag and Rating
F. N. B.	May 17	Elcano	Am. gun-boat
S'chow Creek	Oct. 29	M.A.S. 226	Ital. sub-chaser
S'chow Creek	Oct. 29	M.A.S. 227	Ital. sub-chaser
U. S. N. B.	May 22	Samar	Am. gun-boat
B. VIII	May 17	Suma	Jap. gun-boat
O.D.W.	May 2	Teal	Br. gun-boat
B.N.B.	May 29	Woodlark	Br. gun-boat

Arrivals

Date		From	Ship's Name	Flag Agents
June 8	—	Ningpo	Kiangteen	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
June 8	—	Tientsin	Hsinming	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
June 8	—	Foochow	Hsinchi	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co
June 8	—	Hankow, etc.	Kianghsin	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
June 8	—	Hankow, etc.	Meian	Am. Socony.
June 8	—	Hankow, etc.	Siangyang M.	Jap. N.K.K.
June 8	—	Japan	Shinzui Maru	Jap. M.B.K.
June 8	—	Hongkong	Wollowra	Rus. R.V.F.

Sailed from Shanghai

For San Francisco			
Acme	May	1	
West Wind	May	4	
Korea Maru	May	6	
West Cadron	May	21	
Tascalusa	May	21	
Venezuela	May	23	
Satanta	May	25	
China	May	26	
Tenyo Maru	May	30	
Nanking	June	6	
Berwindmoor	June	7	
For Tacoma			
Justin	May	18	
Javary	May	10	
Africa Maru	June	5	
For Seattle			
Suwa Maru	May	6	
Toyohashi Maru	May	14	
Kashima Maru	May	30	
For Portland			
Coaxet	May	18	
Wawalone	June	2	
For Los Angeles			
Vinita	June	6	
For Vancouver			
E. of Russia	May	9	
Bessie Dollar	May	17	
Empress of Japan	May	29	
Empress of Asia	June	6	
For New York			
C. of Colombo	May	9	
Tsuyama Maru	May	11	
Persian Prince	May	22	
Radnor	May	29	
Lima Maru	June	4	
Eurymachus	June	6	
Alaska Maru	June	7	
For London etc.			
Havana Maru	May	1	
Nore	May	8	
Tydeus	May	15	
Mishima Maru	May	18	
Glenade	May	23	
Novara	May	23	
Sado Maru	May	24	
Delta	June	1	
Teiresias	June	3	
Kitano Maru	June	7	
For Liverpool			
Ajax	May	2	
Kamakura Maru	May	26	
Idomeneus	June	1	
For Copenhagen			
Asia	May	9	
Peru	May	16	
For Marseilles			
Armand Behic	May	9	
Pelho	May	30	
Cordilliere	May	30	
For Genoa			
Wakasa Maru	May	8	

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*AMAZON MARU ...	15,000	N. Konichi,	July 2	July 4

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ARABIA MARU	18,000	J. Saito,	July 9	July 10

FOR HONGKONG.

ARABIA MARU	18,000	T. Saito,	June 17	June 18

FOR NORTH CHINA PORTS (Tsingtao, and Dairen).

KOHOKU MARU	5,000	N. Tsubaki,	June 13	June 15

FOR SOUTH CHINA PORTS and FORMOSA (Foochow, Keelung and Takao).

KEELUNG MARU ..	3,000	N. Kamizawa,	June 9	June 10

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Dunera ..... May 11
For Calcutta
Takada ..... May 11
Arratoon Apcar .... May 18
Japan ..... May 26
For Java
Hwahting ..... June 4
Yannis ..... June 5
For Singapore
Telemachus ..... May 22
Naneric ..... June 4
For Australia
Tuscan Prince ..... May 6
Kidderpore ..... May 15
Comeric ..... June 5
Eurylochus ..... June 5

Shipping Items

The P. and O. s.s. Nellore is expected to leave Kobe for Shanghai Today

The C.M. s.s. Hsinchi left Foochow for Shanghai on monday at noon.

The I-C. s.s. Esang is expected to arrive in Shanghai from Canton, Hongkong and Swatow tomorrow.

The B.I. s.s. Gregory Apcar left Calcutta on May 30 and is due in Shanghai on June 20.

The I-C. s.s. Kutwo left Hankow for Shanghai on Sunday.

The C.N. s.s. Tean left Hongkong for Shanghai on Sunday.

The C.N. s.s. Fengtien left Tientsin for Chefoo, Weihaiwei and Shanghai on Sunday.

The I-C. s.s. Tuckwo left Hankow for Shanghai on Monday.

The C.N. s.s. Ngankin left Hankow for Shanghai on Monday.

The N.K.K. s.s. Tafoo Maru left Hankow for Shanghai on Monday.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinfung left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The C.N. s.s. Woosung left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The N.K.K. s.s. Suiyang Maru left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The C.N. s.s. Shantung left Hongkong for Shanghai yesterday.

The C.N. s.s. Chenan left Tsingtau for Shanghai yesterday.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Chikugo Maru left Moji for Shanghai on Monday and is expected to arrive at the N.Y.K. Wharf about 1 o'clock this afternoon.

The M.M. s.s. Porthos will sail for Marseilles and ports on Friday, June 25, at 5 a.m. sharp. Passengers may embark directly at the S.M.R. Whangpoo Wharf from 9 p.m. on Thursday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangteen will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The I-C. s.s. Hwahlee (chartered) will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Shengking will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The N.K.K. s.s. Fengyang Maru will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The C.M. s.s. Tungwah left Swatow for Amoy and Shanghai on Sunday.

The C.N. s.s. Chekiang will leave Tientsin for Chefoo and Shanghai today.

The I-C. s.s. Hopsang is expected to arrive in Shanghai from Canton and Hongkong on Saturday, June 12.

The P. and O. s.s. Devanha, from London, was expected to leave Colombo for Singapore, Hongkong and Shanghai on Saturday.

The M.M. s.s. Lt. de la Tour will sail for Havre, London and Antwerp via ports on Saturday, June 12.

The I-C. s.s. Loongwo will leave Hankow for Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Tatung will leave Hankow for Shanghai tomorrow.

The N.K.K. s.s. Talee Maru will leave Hankow for Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Tungchow will leave Tientsin for Chefoo, Weihaiwei and Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Sinkiang will leave Hongkong for Shanghai tomorrow.

The I-C. s.s. Yusang is expected to arrive in Shanghai from Foochow on Friday.

The K.M.A. s.s. Taisho Maru (chartered) left Chinwangtao for Shanghai on Sunday.

The K.M.A. s.s. Taiyo Maru (chartered) left Chinwangtao for Shanghai on Monday.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Kasuga Maru left Nagasaki for Shanghai on Monday and is expected to arrive at the Wayside Wharf about seven o'clock this morning.

Launch Services

TODAY

The tender conveying passengers and mails on board the R.V.F. s.s. Simbirsk will leave the Customs jetty at 3 p.m.

Friday, June 11, 1920

The tender conveying passengers and mails on board the S.M.R. s.s. Sakaki Maru will leave the Customs jetty at 9 p.m.

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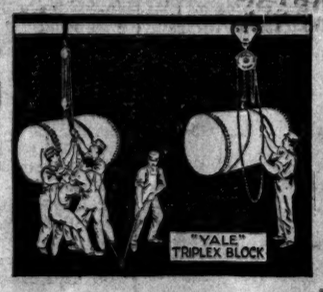

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So They Have Asked The Knights Of Columbus How We Manage It In America

(*New York World*)

The Society for Sobriety—one of the many Prohibition committees in Belgium—has been considering how to enforce the "dry" law in that country. It seems that despite the fact that public houses are not allowed to sell intoxicating drinks, Demon Rum is still runnng amuck.

"Why not ask the Knights of Columbus to tell us how they do it in America?" it was suggested to the "Sobrietas." Whereupon the "dry" ones called for their Chief Secretary, who drew up the following questionnaire for the K. of C. to answer:

"What drinks are now sold in your public houses, restaurants, road-houses, etc., to replace alcoholic beverages, such as beer, whiskey and wines?

"What kind of drinks are sold or served at entertainments, official receptions and marriages?

"What did you do with the labor problem brought about through Prohibition, and just what is the result of the law in America?

"What recipes can you give us for non-alcoholic beverages?

"What drinks (non-alcoholic) can be made at home?

"What drinks are manufactured by industrial concerns? How popular are they? Why are they popular? Please give us complete information.

"Where can we buy some of the machinery making them? Can it be sent to Belgium, and how much will we have to pay?"

"We suppose you already know," wrote the committee, "that August 1919, a law was voted by the Belgian Parliament which forbids the sale of intoxicating drinks in public houses, but, on the other hand, alcohol may be sold in shops in quantities of at least two litres which is for home consumption. The result of this measure is that more alcohol and liquors are taken home, for we must admit that the Belgian people are addicted to drink, and the law is not supported by them. Besides, the law is imperfect, and to well known customers alcohol is still supplied in public houses."

President M. Oerden signs the appeal, which the Knights of Columbus have passed on to the Federal Excise Commissioner's office.

WHEAT $3.25 IN ARGENTINA

Buenos Aires, April 23.—The price of wheat today reached the unprecedented quotation of 26 pesos a hundred kilos, which is equal to 3.36 pesos gold a bushel (nominally about $3.25). More than 8,000,000 bushels of wheat were exported seven days, breaking all records.

Siccawei Weather Reports

7.—Maximum of pressure between Japan and the Bonin. The depression of Manchuria proceeds towards the sea of Japan with a cyclonic whirl, very sharp in Shantung. A new cyclonic circulation appears on the Pacific, pointing to a low center, for E of Luzon and S of the Loochoo. Oppressive heat at Shanghai; overcast day in China; fine at Formosa.

8.—The weather has cleared up during the night; fine morning with mist. The pressure is quiet at the normal level with constant southeasterly breezes.

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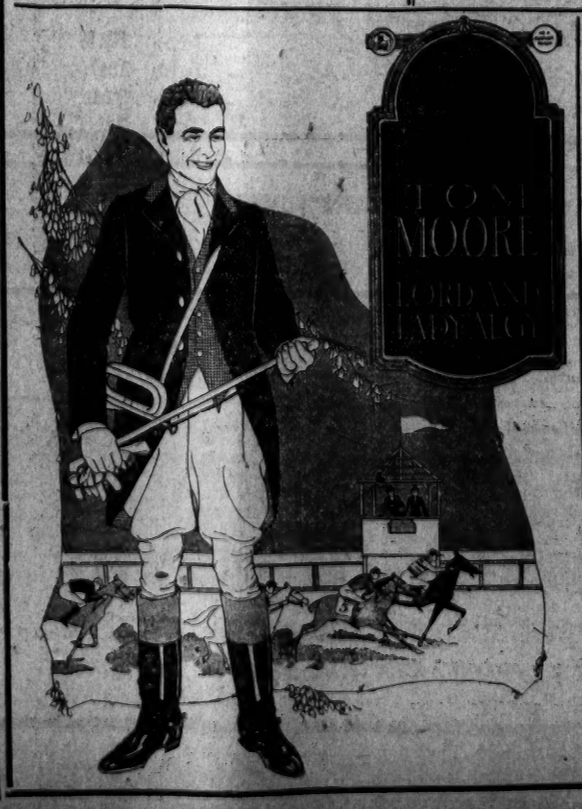

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